

## SIX OF FAMILY MET DEATH ON RAILWAY CROSSING

### Must Enlarge Dixon Telephone Exchange

#### ADDITION TO SWITCHBOARD IS UNDER WAY

#### Growth of Business in Dixon Makes Improvement Necessary

Manager Louis Pitcher of the Dixon Home Telephone company this morning announced the intended expenditure of \$10,000 by the company in the improvement of its service in this city, and a force of workmen, under the direction of an expert, started operation this morning at the company's headquarters on Peoria avenue. The expenditure is being made in installing additional switchboard capacity to accommodate at least 300 more lines and will add 35 percent to the present switchboard capacity.

In the past at certain times of the year, particularly at the holiday season, the present equipment has proven inadequate and the growth of the city has made it necessary to increase the service. The addition will accommodate approximately 1,500 additional phones for local service, and will also mean the addition of several more operators in the exchange.

**Super-Switchboard.**  
The new equipment is known to the telephone trade as the Stromberg-Carlson super service switchboard, and is the very latest type of semi-automatic equipment. M. E. Otto arrived yesterday from the Stromberg-Carlson factory at Rochester, New York, and will be in charge of the installation, which will require about six weeks. When completed, Manager Pitcher believes that the additional equipment will adequately handle the traffic for the rush periods and likewise provide for the future growth of the city as has been the experience in the past. It will also insure better service to the company's present patrons.

Manager Pitcher quoted figures today showing the volume of business which is handled through the local exchange. Last year, the average local exchange calls per month averaged 471,289, which tallied over fifty-six million for the year 1926. In addition to this there were an average of 15,000 toll or long distance calls per month or a total of 192,000 for the year. The average local messages per telephone per month is estimated at 129.5 and the average toll message at 4.38.

#### Trial of Sinclair and Fall Continued to April

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—Trial of Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, and Harry F. Sinclair, on charges growing out of the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve, was postponed today until April 25.

The case previously had been set for Feb. 2, but counsel for the prosecution and defense agreed upon a postponement owing to the illness of Fall who is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia at El Paso, Tex.

Sinclair's trial for contempt of senate, growing out of his refusal to answer questions of the senate committee will begin March 7. The oil operator appeared today for arraignment and the date was agreed upon by both sides.

Mrs. W. G. Hartshorn of Nelson, is a patient at the hospital and will submit to an operation in a few days.

#### TWO ARE HELD FOR ALLEGED THEFT OF PIGS FROM RAILWAY STOCKYARD LAST WEEK

Following two raids and an investigation conducted by state motorcycle officers and Sheriff Ward Miller late Friday afternoon, George Fox and Herbert Moeller, both of this city, were placed under arrest on charges of larceny, the complaint having been filed by J. A. Covert. Both furnished bonds in the sum of \$500 each and their cases were continued until tomorrow morning when they will be taken before Justice Grover W. Gehant for preliminary hearing.

The arrests were the result of the theft of six pure-bred Hampshire pigs from the Chicago & North Western stock yards one week ago tonight. Mr. Covert had purchased the pigs which were valued at about \$12 a piece, for shipment and placed them

#### Has Sold Dixon People Flour for 10,000,000 Cakes

Since James P. Manges, veteran Dixonite, began selling buckwheat flour to people of this community 23 years ago, he has supplied the basic material for over 10,000,000 pancakes to his customers. In all those years Mr. Manges has never failed to sell less than three tons of the flour each season, some years considerably more—and last season he disposed of nine tons.

Mathematicians figure a pound of pancake flour, with its other ingredients, will make about fifty pancakes of ordinary household size, and on this basis it is safe to state that Mr. Manges' sales have been transformed into ten million or more griddle cakes.

And not content with that accomplishment Mr. Manges proudly tells of getting twenty rabbits on a one-day hunting outing recently.

#### MARSHALLTOWN'S MYSTERY PROBE TO BE CONTINUED

#### Second Examination of Vital Organs of Youth is Made

Marshalltown, Iowa, Jan. 24 (AP)—Iowa City today will be the scene of activities in the investigation into the mysterious death of Charles Elrod, 28, Lewellen, Neb., youth, who was found dead here two weeks ago last night. Dean Wilber J. Teeters of the University of Iowa will make a second examination of the vital organs of the young man today in order either to substantiate his first finding that there was no trace of poison or to detect some clue by which authorities here may continue their investigation.

Police here today are protecting Veda Bellefeuille, Elrod's fiancée, from newspapermen who have desired to question her.

County Attorney Poll yesterday revealed nothing as regards his investigation into the fictitious love letters which Veda declared she wrote to Elrod and signed "Keddy Clayton," in order that his love might be better proved.

#### Cruelty to Horse is Cause of Court Action

Complaint entered by neighbors led to the arrest of Mike Drew Saturday on a charge of cruelty to animals, he being charged with having placed a horse in an open barn and without removing the harness, feeding or watering the animal for a period of more than 24 hours. He was fined \$5 and costs by Justice Grover Gehant when arraigned in police court and was released with the promise to immediately care for the animal.

#### Democrats Carry Fight for Tax Cuts to House

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—The democrats today carried their tax fight to the floor of the house when Representative Garrett of Tennessee, minority leader, placed upon the speaker's table a petition to take the \$335,000,000 Garner tax reduction bill from the ways and means committee where Republicans voted more than a month ago to pigeon hole it.

#### GALLOWS FOR PASTOR PLEA OF ATTORNEY

#### Texas Murder Hearing Nears End as Lawyers Argue

Austin, Tex., Jan. 24 (AP)—State and defense closed their testimony in the Norris murder trial at 9:50 a. m., today and the judge began his charge to the jury. Arguments to the jury are to be limited to six hours to a side.

Fear of possible injury to Norris caused his friends to ask court bailiffs today for permission to sit near him within the railing.

**Guarded by Friends.**  
When court opened a circle of close friends surrounded the pastor who is charged with killing D. E. Chipps.

After the judge's charge, the state opened arguments with John Shelton of Austin, special prosecutor, demanding the death penalty for the fundamentalist pastor, who is charged with the murder of D. E. Chipps.

"He has forfeited his right to life and liberty," Shelton told the jury.

The Port Worth pastor, whose trial was brought here on a change of venue, was surrounded by friends when court opened today and he explained that a number of them, fearing a demonstration against him, had obtained permission from court bailiffs to sit within the railing.

**"Apparent Danger"**  
The arguments which follow the judge's charge in Texas, are expected to last until tomorrow afternoon.

The chief point in Judge Hamilton's charge was on "apparent danger." He explained that the question of whether Norris was in apparent danger of his life should be viewed from the standpoint of how the circumstances appeared to the defendant.

There are four possible results: A verdict of murder carrying five years to death.

Manslaughter, two to five years.

Not guilty.

A hung jury.

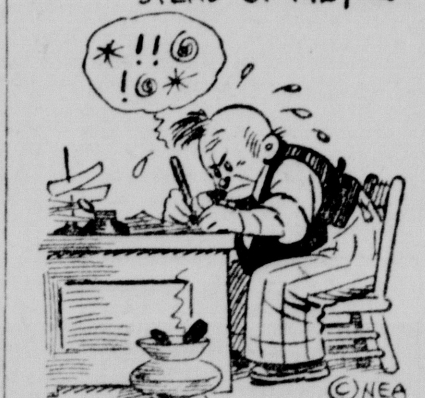
Arguments started about 10:25 a. m. and with each side taking six hours the case would go to the jury tomorrow afternoon.

#### CHIMNEY AND ROOF FIRE

Sparks from a chimney set fire to the roof at 516 Jackson avenue this morning about 6:30, requiring the services of the fire department. The blaze was extinguished without damage to the property.

#### WEATHER

CHEER UP, IT'S A COMMON MISTAKE TO WRITE 1926 INSTEAD OF 1927



MONDAY, JAN. 24, 1927

By Associated Press Local Wire Illinois: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; slightly colder in southeast portion tonight.

Chicago and vicinity: Fair tonight, probably followed by increasing cloudiness Tuesday; not much change in temperature; lowest tonight about 10; moderate westerly winds becoming variable.

Wisconsin: Increasing cloudiness tonight, being somewhat unsettled Tuesday; slightly colder in north portion Tuesday.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; somewhat colder in north portion Tuesday.

#### MAYOR PALMER ANNOUNCED HE WILL SEEK RETURN TO OFFICE AT CITY ELECTION

#### Commissioner Slothower Also Seeks to be Returned

Local politics took on the aspect of life today when two members of the city commission, Mayor Frank D. Palmer and Commissioner William Slothower announced that they were candidates to succeed themselves. Other announcements are said to be forthcoming very soon.

It is probable that there will be some contests for the office of commissioner and, in fact, it is not certain that all of the present commissioners will run again; but it is also a strong possibility that Mayor Palmer will have no opposition in his proposal to fill the office of Mayor for the second term.

The commission which goes out this spring has a rather enviable record in office and those members desiring re-election may well "point with pride" to the past four years. Mayor Palmer has demonstrated an ability as chief executive which his many friends believe has earned him the right to a second term without opposition and the same argument is put forth for Commissioner Slothower and other members of the commission who are being urged to enter this race.

#### STUDENT KILLS SELF TO SOLVE DEATH'S RIDDLE

#### Weird Pact Made by U. of Wisconsin Medical Students

Madison, Wis., Jan. 24 (AP)—County authorities today were questioning friends and fraternity members in an effort to throw more light on the suicide of C. W. Noe, 20, University of Wisconsin medical student, who yesterday shot and killed himself in an effort "to solve the riddle of life and death."

Delving into psychology and the studies in his medical course did not clear the mystery he sought to solve, according to the theory for his act as established by county officials.

Yesterday after a long talk with two fraternity brothers, Noe shot himself. He left a number of notes scribbled on the back of class papers in psychology.

A weird pact and experiment in psychological communication had been agreed upon by the students, county officials said, after reading the notes and questioning Noe's friends and classmates.

One of the students with whom he had left word of his plan to end his life, was Robert Norton, of Oak Park, Ill.

#### Railroad Officials to Investigate Texas Wreck

Austin, Tex., Jan. 24 (AP)—An "extraordinary investigation" of Saturday's grade crossing accident which killed ten Baylor University students, will be held within a few days at Round Rock by Missouri Pacific Railroad officials.

Milton Morris, passenger agent here announced this today.

The train that crashed into the university bus which carried the Baylor basketball squad, was the "Sunshine Special" crack train of the International & Great Northern, one of the Missouri Pacific lines.

#### New York Trust Company Gets French Gold Today

New York, Jan. 24 (AP)—The American Exchange-Trust Company announced today that it had received from the French liner Rochambeau \$4,300,000 of gold bullion from France.

This announcement set at rest reports that the gold on the Rochambeau amounted to \$20,000,000 and was an indication that France was attempting to return to the gold standard without a debt settlement with the United States and without a revaluation of the franc.

#### Chaplin Asks Uncle Sam to Lift Lein on Moneys

Washington, Jan. 24 (AP)—Attorneys for Charlie Chaplin today asked the government to lift its income tax liens on money held in the bank by the movie star.

#### BROWNING TRIAL ADJOURNED; TO ANOTHER COURT

#### Separation Suit to be Called in White Plains Court

#### BULLETIN

Carmel, N. Y., Jan. 24 (AP)—Edward W. Browning's separation suit against his wife, the former Frances Peaches Heenan, which opened here at 10:30 this morning, was adjourned to White Plains thirty-five minutes later by a ruling of Supreme Court Justice Seeger.

The trial will be resumed tomorrow in its new jurisdiction. Early today witnesses were put on the stand at today's opening. Both witnesses were for the New York realtor.

Mr. Browning's entrance to the court room was the occasion for a prolonged hand clapping on the part of the women. Mrs. Browning appeared without any public ovation. She cried profusely during the first few moments in court.

Carmel, N. Y., Jan. 24 (AP)—This town's facilities were overtaxed today for the separation suit of Edward W. Browning, wealthy 52 year old realty operator, against his 16 year old bride of ten months, "Peaches" Heenan Browning.

At the corner drug store the many angles of the romance of the "Cinderella man" and his school girl wife were thrashed out by the villagers and the "outsiders."

But even this excitement was denied the 125 young women, students at Drew Seminary. The Rev. Dr. Herbert E. Wright, the principal, forbade any of the young ladies to leave the seminary grounds during the trial except under escort of a teacher.

**Curiosity Aroused**  
Curiosity had been aroused because some papers in the case had been impounded and because of indications that the mysterious scarring of Peaches with acid before her marriage might be explained.

There was indication that the trial would be of brief duration as a claim by Peaches for a separation allowance will be tried at White Plains or Poughkeepsie. Peaches temporarily has been receiving \$300 a week under a court order.

Browning was the first of the principals to arrive from New York. Twenty-five photographers surrounded him. As he posed he responded to questions about the trial with the statement that he wanted "everything to be open to the public" and that he hoped the trial would vindicate him of the charges of his wife.

The arrival of Mrs. Browning was less photographed but no less stage set. On the arm of her attorney, she walked into the court house. Close behind was her mother, Mrs. Catherine Heenan, guardian ad litem, during the action.

#### "Rolling Along" Company to be Dined Tomorrow

All of the members of the cast of "Rolling Along," the recent annual show given by the Dixon Kiwanis club, will be banqueted tomorrow evening in the parlors of the Christian church. President L. R. Trowbridge of the club has asked all persons who participated in the presentation of the two performances to be present. This applies not only to the cast, but to all who in any manner assisted in making the second annual presentation the success which it resulted.

#### Ten Patients from Lee County in Sanitariums

Mrs. Jessie Burtsfield, county nurse, was in Ottawa Friday where she took a tubercular patient from Lee County to be cared for at Dr. Pett's Sanitarium and where there are now six patients from this county. There are two Lee County patients at Dr. Palmer's sanitarium in Springfield and two at St. John's Sanitarium in the same city, from Lee county.

#### Two Divorces Granted in Circuit Court Here

Mrs. Mary Mossholder of Franklin Grove was granted a decree for divorce from C. E. Mossholder late Saturday afternoon by Judge Harry Edwards. Mrs. B. F. Downing has also been granted a decree from B. Frank Downing.

#### BOND BROKER KILLED WIFE WITH A CLUB

#### Threw Her Body Into Mississippi River He Says Today

#### BULLETIN

Dubuque, Ia., Jan. 24 (AP)—Armed with a formal information charging first degree murder, County Attorney A. E. Kane had Sheriff F. K. Kennedy will leave Dubuque today for Mauston, Wis., where they will take William N. Coffey into custody.

The murder charge was drafted and filed by Kane after he learned by telephone that Coffey had confessed he murdered his wife in Eagle Point Park here and carried the body to the Eagle Point high bridge in his automobile.

Mauston, Wis., Jan. 24 (AP)—William N. Coffey, 48 year old Madison bond salesman, confessed to Sheriff Wright today that he killed his missing second wife by striking her over the head with a baseball bat in a camp near Dubuque, Iowa, Oct. 11 or 12. He disposed of the body, Coffey told the sheriff, by throwing it into the Mississippi river.

After refusing since his arrest last Friday to tell the whereabouts of Mrs. Hattie Hales Coffey, 53 year old LaCrosse, Wis., woman, whom he married at Winona, Minn., Sept. 15, the Madison man greeted Sheriff Wright today with the blunt admission that he killed the woman.

The couple were on a wedding trip when Coffey killed his bride of a few weeks. He then commenced a series of letters to Mrs. Anna Holdridge, Rockford, Ill., sister of the dead woman in which he attempted to convince her that his bride was with him.

**Sister Turns Detective.**  
Suspicious, Mrs. Holdridge turned detective and through a ruse brought Coffey to Elroy, Wis., where he was arrested Friday on a charge of forgery. A warrant charging bigamy was obtained at Winona, Minn., Saturday on Coffey's admission that he has a wife and three children in Madison, Wisconsin.

District Attorney Clark may now turn Coffey over to the Iowa authorities to be tried on the murder charge.

Following his arrest Coffey admitted that his marriage to the LaCrosse widow was illegal, and later confessed the use of rubber stamps to forge his wife's name.

#### WILL HUNT FOR BODY

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 24 (AP)—William Coffey, whose alleged confession of murder at Mauston, Wis., clears up the mystery surrounding the disappearance of his wife, probably committed the crime in the Eagle Point Tourist Park in the northern end of the city and carried the body to the river in his automobile. This was the theory of Dubuque county officials, who pointed out that the Eagle Point high bridge which spans the Mississippi from Dubuque to Wisconsin, is difficult to reach from the park, which is situated on a towering bluff, therefore it is improbable that the woman wearing night clothing had gone down there to quarrel with her husband.

**No Bodies Found.**  
Another high bridge crosses the Mississippi a mile south of the Wisconsin structure. This connects the business district of Dubuque with East Dubuque, Illinois, and it is paralleled by a railroad bridge which is closed to pedestrian traffic. It is not believed that Coffey is referring to this bridge, however, as there are no camping grounds near it.

No unidentified bodies have been found in the river in this vicinity in recent months. At the county attorney's office this morning it was stated that Coffey will be brought back to Dubuque and held in jail until the river opens in the spring and a search can be made for the woman's body.

Mrs. Ernest Cappenman and daughter of Winnebago have been visiting Mrs. Cappenman's mother, Mrs. Anna Sample.

#### Big Button Was Taken from Girl's Stomach in 60 Sec.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 24 (AP)—Norma Jane Prayhopanski, 12 months old daughter of Lincoln, Ill., residents, was recovering at a hospital here today from an operation Sunday in which Dr. Stuart Broadwell, Jr., removed from her stomach a button she swallowed ten weeks ago.

The actual time of the operation was sixty seconds, and was performed with the aid of a special tube with electric light attachment and a delicate pair of forceps. The button was the size of a twenty-five cent piece. After an examination today, Dr. Broadwell said the child will suffer no ill effects.

#### SEVEN CONVICTED OF P. O. ROBBERY IN FEDERAL COURT

#### Sealed Verdict Ended Trial in Springfield Today

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 24 (AP)—A sealed verdict of "guilty" was opened in the federal court here this morning with a result that the seven men charged with robbing the Alton post-office, May 12, 1924, face a fifteen year sentence. It was the second trial. At the first trial the jury disagreed. Sentence was reserved pending their plea for another trial.

The jury found them guilty on three of nine counts carrying a possible sentence of fifteen years and \$10,000 fine. Motion for a new trial will be heard Saturday.

Ray Harrison, John Adams, Robert Dooling, Joseph Meyer, Benjamin Simon and Joe Marion, of Alton, and Joe Melling of Springfield, were the men convicted. They were charged with the robbery of \$200 in cash and \$34,000 in stamps.

Melling also was found guilty last week of a mail robbery at the Chicago and Alton station at Springfield in 1923.

#### Southeastern Illinois in Grip of Sleet Storm

Mount Carmel, Ill., Jan. 24 (AP)—This section of southeastern Illinois remained virtually isolated today after a heavy ice and sleet storm Saturday night. Power service here was reestablished this morning, but communication was still badly crippled. The Wabash river continues to rise at a half foot above the flood stage of 16 feet.

#### Wreck in Whiteside Co. Tied Up Railway Line

Albany, Ill., Jan. 24 (AP)—Main line traffic on the Chicago-Kansas City line of the C. M. & St. P. Ry., is tied up today as a result of the derailment of 28 cars, three miles south of this town at 5:40 o'clock this morning, a broken rail being given as the cause of the wreck.

#### Fictitious License Plates Bring Arrest

Ivan Nehring, arrested last evening by Officer Pomeroy, paid a fine of \$10 and costs when arraigned before Justice Grover W. Gehant in police court on a charge of operating an automobile bearing fictitious license plates.

Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews, left this morning for a visit with relatives, including Mrs. Anna Andrews in Rockford, Ill.; Prof. G. C. Wilson and family at Madison, Wis.; and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Heyard at Michigan City, Ind.

#### UNITED STATES PLANES AT OTTAWA, CANADA, ON GOOD WILL FLIGHT IN DOMINION

Ottawa, Jan. 24—Twelve United States military pursuit planes which left Selfridge Field today in a good will invasion to Canada landed at Ottawa shortly after noon.

Detroit, Jan. 24 (AP)—Twelve military pursuit planes started early today from Selfridge Field to Ottawa, Ont., on the first leg of a 1,000 mile "good will invasion" of Canada. The

#### ROCKFORD WAS SCENE TRAGIC MISHAP SUNDAY

#### But One Girl Escaped Injury in Smash on Crossing There

A railroad crossing in Blackhawk Park, in the southeastern part of Rockford, was the scene of a tragic accident Sunday afternoon at about 4:30 o'clock when the lives of six members of a family, which had recently moved to that city from Red Boiling Springs, Tenn., were snuffed out; but one of the family of seven, a girl of 15, escaped.

The victims of the tragedy were:  
I. F. Knight, 40.  
Mrs. Martha Knight, 32.  
Clinton, aged 8.  
Dola, aged 5.  
Nellie, aged 4.  
Eloise, aged 11.

**Girl Found on Pilot**  
The only one of the family to escape was Zella, aged 15, who was found dazed, but uninjured, on the pilot of the engine of the fast Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul passenger train which struck their car.

Eye witnesses to the accident stated that Knight, who was driving, apparently did not see the swiftly approaching train, although the view of the track is unobstructed at the crossing, and drove directly in front of the engine. The auto was struck back of the center, thrown sideways against a signal tower and then back onto the track, being dragged about 150 feet before it loosened itself from the moving train.

The mother and three daughters were killed instantly, and the father and son died this morning. Zella, apparently thrown through the wings of the car, landed on the ground, and the car beside her father, was found on the pilot of the engine, miraculously having escaped injury.

#### MAILED FISTS OF ENGLAND, JAPAN SHOWN IN CHINA

#### Precautionary Measure of Empires Taking on New Aspects

Shanghai, Jan. 24 (AP)—The mailed fist, as exemplified in the armed forces of Great Britain and Japan, thrust itself into the foreground of the Chinese situation today.

With additional reports of anti foreign and anti-Christian agitation, both powers made military moves yesterday and today, which however were described as "merely precautionary measures."

From Hongkong, the British dispatched three companies of troops to Shanghai, while from the Sasebo naval station, four Japanese destroyers departed for unannounced points in China.

In Hongkong, it was stated the movement of the British quota for the defense of Shanghai was in accordance with an agreement with the United States, France and Japan. This revealed for the first time that the powers had so completely considered the possibility of the foreign settlement being attacked that it had been decided how many men each power should supply for the defense of the concessions.

#### Commission Form Winner in Danville by 1,600

Danville, Ill., Jan. 24 (AP)—While election commissioners still were tabulating the official vote in Saturday's special election, unofficial complete figures showed that the majority in favor of the commission form of city government was approximately 1,600.

The first election on the commission form, held two years ago, resulted in its defeat by a close margin. In spite of icy walks and pavements, more than 1,000 votes were cast.

The primary election for the nomination of candidates for mayor and commissioners will be held February 22.







# PAGE for WOMEN

## SOCIETY NEWS

**Monday**  
Y. P. M. C.—Grace Evangelical Church.  
W. R. C.—G. A. R. Hall.  
Chapter A. C. P. E. O.—Mrs. F. X. Newcomer.  
Jernan Club—Mrs. H. A. Brooks, 623 Crawford Ave.  
Dixon Delphian Chapter—Preston Chapel.

**Tuesday**  
Phidian Art Club—Mrs. F. X. Newcomer, 224 E. Third street.  
W. O. M. L.—Moose Hall.

**Wednesday**  
Palmyra Mutual Aid Society—Mrs. Edward Shawyer.  
Ladies Aid Society—Miss Llevan, 409 N. Ottawa Avenue.  
Ladies Aid Society—Christian church.

**Thursday**  
South Dixon Community Club—Mrs. Ralph Lehman.  
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. W. T. Greig, 113 E. Everett Street.  
Altar and Rosary Society—K. C. Club Home.

### OLD MASTERS

I met a traveler from an antique land  
Who said: Two vast and trunkless  
legs of stone  
Stand in the desert. Near them on  
the sand,  
Half sunk, a shattered visage lies,  
whose frown  
And wrinkled lip and sneer of cold  
command  
Tell that its sculptor well those passions  
lives  
Which yet survive stamped on these  
lifeless things,  
The hand that mocked them and the  
heart that fed;  
And on the pedestal these words  
appear:  
"My name is Ozymandias, king of  
kings:  
Look on my works, ye Mighty, and  
despair!"  
Nothing beside remains. Round the  
decayed  
Or that colossal wreck, boundless  
and bare,  
The lone and level sands stretch  
far away.  
—P. B. Shelley: Ozymandias of  
Egypt.

### Delightful Bridge Luncheon Friday

Mrs. R. L. Hopkins of Sterling and Mrs. E. A. Clevidence of Dixon, delightfully entertained a group of Dixon and Sterling ladies at a bridge luncheon Friday at the Clevidence home. The favors for both high and low scores at bridge were carried off by Sterling guests. Mrs. Charles Clark won the favor for high score and Mrs. W. B. McCloy won the favor for low score. A happy afternoon was spent by everyone present.

### Date Announced For Little Symphony

The Civic Music Association is happy to announce definitely the date for the concert to be given by the Little Symphony Orchestra. The date is to be Wednesday, April 6th for their Dixon appearance. All who heard this wonderful musical aggregation on its first appearance here are awaiting with much delightful anticipation its second appearance. It is indeed seldom that the Little Symphony plays such a small town.

### ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY TO MEET

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. Patrick's Catholic church will hold an all day meeting at the K. C. Club Home Thursday, to which all members and ladies of the congregation are invited. Each lady attending is asked to take for the picnic dinner at noon a serving of an article in the following menu sufficient for ten, in addition to own sandwiches: scalloped potatoes, scalloped corn, salad, meat loaf, baked beans, cake or pie. A special program will feature the afternoon.

### SPENT SUNDAY AT ROWLAND HOME

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rowland entertained over Sunday their son Charles Rowland of Marion, O., and a friend of the latter, Henry True, of Marion.

### Menus for the Family

**BREAKFAST**—Grape fruit sections, scrambled eggs with rice, crisp broiled bacon, bran muffins, milk, coffee.  
**LUNCHEON**—Split pea soup, toast sticks, open lettuce and cream cheese sandwiches, steamed lemon pudding, milk, tea.  
**DINNER**—Braised halibut, lattice potatoes, buttered beets, cole slaw, apple tapioca pudding, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

The fish suggested in the dinner menu is simmered, closely covered in well seasoned, sifted tomato pulp until tender—or about one hour. Any firm, boneless fish can be used as cod or filets of flounder. Sear the fish quickly on both sides before adding the liquid.

**Steamed Lemon Pudding**  
Two eggs, 3/4 cup granulated sugar, 1 lemon, 2 tablespoons water, 2 1/2 cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, few grains salt.  
Beat yolks of eggs until thick and lemon colored, gradually adding the sugar. Combine juice and grated rind of lemon with water and beat into first mixture. Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Add to first mixture and fold in the whites of the eggs, beaten until stiff and dry. Turn into a well-buttered mold and steam for forty minutes. Serve with apricot sauce.  
The sauce is made by thickening the juice from canned apricots.

### AN APPEAL FROM MRS. YOHN FOR A GOOD ATTENDANCE

It is very important that all members of the Women's Department of the Y. M. C. A. be present this evening. We are getting ready for a Demonstration Night, which will include the actual work being done by members of the Department. We are also planning some stunts and there will be readings. We promise much fun and a real insight into the purpose of our Department. We will be looking for you next Monday night at 7:30. Come on, Members, every-one present TONIGHT.

### EXPECT TO PLAY GOLF ON AMERICA'S WINTER PLAYGROUND

Dr. C. G. Rorer of Waukegan; and Leonard G. Rorer, manager of the Dixon Theater, left this morning for a vacation visit in the south. They will go first to Biloxi, Mississippi, and will then leave for Florida, stopping at the resorts boasting the best golf links, where they expect to enjoy this sport in summer temperature.

### A NIGHT WITH BURNS

Many are anticipating with great pleasure the "Night with Burns" Tuesday at the Baptist church, the program for which was published in Saturday night's Telegraph. Rev. W. W. Marshall, pastor of the church, will give an address on "Burns, His Life and Poetry," and will give several of Burns' poems in the true Scotch dialect. Rev. Marshall is a native of Scotland and one could imagine nothing more entertaining than Burns read by Rev. Marshall.

### W. C. O. F. TO HAVE 500 PARTY

The W. C. O. F. will entertain with a 500 and bridge party at the K. C. Club Home Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, the public being invited. The regular meeting of the society will be held at 7 o'clock that evening to permit adjournment in time for the card party.

### ENTERTAINED AT DINNER SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pensinger entertained at 5 o'clock dinner Sunday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. C. Schmidt, whose birthday it was. Mr. and Mrs. William C. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schmidt, Mildred and Laverne Schmidt and Benjamin Cole.

### CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY INSTEAD OF WEDNESDAY

The meeting of the South Dixon Community club will be held Thursday instead of Wednesday with Mrs. Ralph Lehman, because of the funeral of a relative of a member of the club.

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## The WOMAN'S DAY by Allene Sumner

### THOSE WHITE HOUSE DISHES

Only four dishes have been broken in the White House during four administrations. It is only fair to the housewives of the nation that the White House housekeeper tells her method, or where she gets her dish-washers and waitresses.

One wonders, reading the description of the dishes with their trimmings of gold stars and stripes and star-spangled banners. If many a president's wife hasn't wished that more than four had been smashed! Just one of the penalties of First Ladying is this—being forced to use hokey-boy dishes when one longs for some gold-edged ones with bunches of wild pink roses on 'em! **THIS FLAMING YOUTH!**

"Flaming youth" is not only headlined in sermons and story books, but "flaming youth" is now in the ads! Just a sample of one such ad—an auto parked in the white drifts of a winter's night, the midnight stars crisp above, purple shadows on the snow. Trees clustered thickly about. A parked auto. The ad says something to this effect—

"After the dance—when tiresome chaperons have gone to bed—and youth will have its fling—let's wander away. Down the moonlit ribbon of a magic road—on to the alluring romance of the silvery snows—radiant under the sapphire stars. You simply can't live always—and one night like this—well—"

Now it's a very pretty ad and all that. But the principle involved—to put it bluntly, a petting party by the river's brink, is the very thing held up as a sample of holy horror by today's adult population. Probably a parent wrote it. Probably he squeals "flaming youth" by catering to the "voices" he deprecates. Some more fuel for the argument that it's parents who are wild today—not their offspring!

### AND BEAUTY ADS

Speaking of beauty ads—try this one out loud—"Love Kiss"—(that's not the name, I cannot advertise in this widely-read column—"will give you new beauty instantly, a different kind of beauty, a warm subtle fascinating atmosphere that will make you more intriguing, more interesting, more lovely than ever before." And all the girls read it and flock forth to buy, when it's just another kind of powder, rouge and lipstick.

There's something almost pathetic in woman's eternal gullibility on this subject of being made beautiful. And not until women stop being gullible and daring all for beauty will there be any real proof that life holds much of anything for any but the beautiful ladies.

### BELTS, BELTS EVERYWHERE!

Belts, belts everywhere on the new winter resort rocks, which also

means, of course, belts, belts on all the spring and summer dresses. Which does not augur a happy New Year for the girls who stopped—or never began—dieting!

### ESKIMO DESSERT

Maybe you'd like to try Eskimo ice cream in your freezer—then again, maybe you wouldn't! Anyway, it goes like this! Mix rendered reindeer fat with dried berries. Flavor, not with vanilla or lemon, but with seal oil. Beat until fluffy, then freeze. The Eskimos favor that for Christmas or New Year's dessert just as highly as their more southerly friends prize raspberry ice cream and chocolate cake.

Now suppose we got stranded up where the Eskimos are, just how hungry would we be before we ate Eskimo dessert. Not so very, probably! There seems to be nothing like just a little touch of starvation to make one forget all earlier food prejudices!

### MIRRORED SHOES

Shoes with tiny mirrors in the heels, shoes with diamond-studded heels, or shoes with woodland scenes painted over them, will be sold in the spring, we are told. Which means, of course, that they won't be sold at all, but that the shoe makers have made up one or two pairs of such exotic footwear, for "publicity purposes," something "to get in the papers."

### Nineteen Ways of Being Bad Parent

1. A parent is bad if he is not orientated in the modern world.

2. A parent is bad whose imagination is colored by an, uncritical belief in the vague rumors of scandal about young people. Such parents have no sense of proportion, are ready to accept the worst because it fits in with their theories. They are the largest contributing factor to the breakdown of reputation, even of their own children.

3. A parent is bad who accepts "fate" blindly and cannot see behind present handicaps the background of latent strengths.

4. A parent is bad who repudiates a child in dire need.

5. A parent is bad who has a warped view of authority and is unable to make use of the social resources to which she, or he, has appealed for assistance.

6. Parents are bad who labor under the delusion that law enforcement is only for those who live below the minimum economic standard, and in their particular case advice is an insult.

7. A parent is bad who does not realize that with adolescence comes a tremendous pull of loyalty toward friends outside the family group.

8. A parent is bad who does not face the idea of family formation for the next generation.

9. Parents are bad who permit a thwarted love-life to color their relationship to their children.

10. A parent may be bad if some human impulse, however good in itself, becomes hypertrophied and grows at the expense of parental feeling.

11. For a parent to become prematurely stabilized, so that he loses a sense of proportion and cannot distinguish between major and minor values, is to become a bad parent.

12. A parent who makes a faulty characterization of a child is likely to produce bad results.

13. A parent may be bad if the goal placed before the children is too

immediate and too easy, or is so concerned with money and "comfort" that the children become bored with life.

14. A parent is bad who is a parent only spasmodically, and then usually at the wrong time.

15. A parent is bad who cannot shield a child from premature exposure to adult anxiety or perplexity.

16. A parent is bad who builds up in the child a feeling of inferiority.

A parent is bad who permits the family atmosphere to become infected with his (or her) inferiority complex.

18. A parent is bad who in an attempt to inculcate habits of obedience succeeds merely in creating rebellion.

19. A parent is bad who will not let a child grow up; who does all the talking, makes all the decisions and meets all the issues.

(A public health worker handed the foregoing article to The Telegraph.)

### SAME JOB OF ACCOMPLISHMENT MAY COME FROM SCRUBBING OR ART

By Olive Roberts Barton  
I have a merry little laundress who could teach a lesson to kings. She is foreign, speaks of her husband as "She" in spite of all telling, and to her everything is "nize."

If I were to say anything to her about "pride of accomplishment," her black eyes would probably flash out at me a look as deep as mine, as she would think very likely that I was talking about missing buttons or too much starch.

She is 35 years old, has four children and a husband who always develops rheumatism when there is a good job on hand.

Five days a week she labors and does all her work—for other people, and on the sixth and seventh days she does the rest—the washing and ironing and cleaning and sewing, and sundry, for her own family.

I wish you could see her carry in a basket of snowy clothes, her face glowing with pride. "Nize day—good for dry," she beams, looking over her husband's as Reverend Cellini may have looked at a vase he had just finished for the Grand Duc.

Her work finished, she is at liberty to leave, but no, she is determined to give value received and you find her wandering over the house with cloth and bucket to see what windows need cleaning. Usually some of them do, and she goes at the job with as much alacrity and enthusiasm as though she were sitting out on a picnic and the day just begun.

Zip! They are finished. Clear as crystal and the corners not neglected. She can do 25 large windows while most people are doing a fifth the number.

Loves to work, you say? No, I don't think so. She would at least rather be working for her own children, of whom she is very fond. I often hear her sigh. But unless I ask she never mentions her troubles. She likes nice things. I met her down street the other day and stopped to talk. She patted my coat all over and said "Nize," and looked so happy to see me.

I said to myself, "You sweet little soul! Wouldn't this world be wonderful if everybody was like you?"

Pride of accomplishment is a great thing. Happiness of accomplishment is still greater.

### LADIES AID TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The Ladies Aid Society of the Grace Evangelical Church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock

### TRY THIS!

That fishermen's and hunter's and vacationist's paradise, where Grand stone Lake in Wisconsin is situated, sends out the following poem which will interest Dixonites, especially those fortunate one who secured lots and campsites at Dixon Beach. The poem, captioned, "Try This!" reads:

You're only a man, and you long to go On a fishing trip, for a week or so, But going alone, is selfish and wrong, Better take Wife and the Kiddies along.

Show them the things you have told them about, Take them to streams, where you caught speckled trout.

Give them a ride, in your birch-bark canoe, And make them REAL FALS, as you ought to do.

Take them to places where wild Deer abound, Show them the wonderful lakes that you found.

Plan it as "Special, for Kiddies and Wife," Make it the happiest trip in your life.

They will remember, when you have forgot, All the things they saw, and the fish they caught.

They'll tell of the wonderful time they had, When they ALL went fishing up North with Dad.

at the home of Miss Rachel Llevan, 409 N. Ottawa Avenue.

### THURSDAY READING CIRCLE TO MEET

The Thursday Reading Circle will meet at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. T. Greig, 113 E. Everett street.

### LADIES AID SOCIETY MEETS WEDNESDAY

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will meet Wednesday in an all day meeting at the church and the ladies should be prepared to sew.

### WERE GUESTS AT L. W. MILLER HOME

Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. Alexander Wilson of Marble Rock, Ia., were guests in Dixon at the L. W. Miller home over Sunday.

### LUNCHEON FOR BRIDGE CLUB THURSDAY

Mrs. A. W. Leland will entertain the Duplicate Bridge club at luncheon Thursday.

### W. O. M. L. TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The W. O. M. L. will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in Moose hall and a good attendance is desired.

### NEW FLOWERS

Honolulu—Two mysterious hibiscus blossoms are promised Hawaii by J. do Rego, Honolulu's latest "flower inventor."

The blossoms will be known as the "blue bell" and the "pagoda." It is thought that the "blue bell" is a hybrid obtained by crossing the blue bell of Scotland with the rare and delicate mauve hibiscus.

The "pagoda" will be a three-tier blossom, with a deep red base, a white center and small single blue top.

## Lodge News

### DIXON ELKS TOOK SECOND PLACE IN DISTRICT CONTEST

### Sterling Lodge Given First Place by Officials of Meet

Officers of Sterling lodge, No. 1218, E. P. O. Elks captured first place in the annual district ritualistic contest conducted here yesterday afternoon and were awarded the cash prize of \$25 which was offered by Exalted Ruler H. C. Warner of this city, who is also chairman of the district contest.

The Sterling team is now eligible to enter the state contest to be held in Peoria in August. Dr. J. C. Dallenbach of Champaign, state chairman of the White trophy cup, Hugo Weyrauch of Sterling and Robert Crawford of Mendota were the judges of the contest. But three of the thirteen lodges in the northwest district entered teams, namely, Sterling, Mendota and Dixon. The percentages awarded the teams were as follows:

Sterling, 94.36; Dixon, 93.41; Mendota, 92.43.

The teams were very evenly matched and the ritual was impressively given, the officers by their work, showing plainly that a great deal of time had been spent in preparation. The members of the teams were:

Sterling—Exalted Ruler—Lyle B. Wilcox; Esteemed Leading Knight—William Hoofstetter; Esteemed Loyal Knight—P. J. Peters; Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Earl Bishop; Esquire—C. A. Burr; Inner Guard—Henry Snayley; Organist—Lloyd Eschelman; Chaplain—William Reese. Mendota—Exalted Ruler—J. O. Klylia; Esteemed Leading Knight—W. F. Colson; Esteemed Loyal Knight—E. E. Lewis; Esteemed Lecturing Knight—S. G. Moss; Esquire—D. M. Lotts; Inner Guard—M. K. Quandel; Chaplain—D. C. Tower.

Dixon—Exalted Ruler—H. C. Warner; Esteemed Leading Knight—Edbert L. Fulmer; Esteemed Loyal Knight—Phillip Raymond; Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Guy H. Meriman; Esquire—Dr. Raymond Worsley; Inner Guard—Freeman Robinson; Chaplain—George W. Smith; Organist—Harry Raffenberg.

### Local Masons May Go to Elgin Meet

Masons of Dixon are planning a large attendance at the forthcoming state school of Masonic instruction, to be held in the new \$350,000 Elgin Masonic Temple, February 1, 2 and 3. G. Haven Stephens of Danville, chairman of the Board of Grand Examiners, members of the board, and grand lecturers, will have charge of the school.

David D. King of Chicago, M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, State of Illinois, and members of his suite, will attend the school Wednesday, February 2, and will be feted at a Masonic banquet the same evening. Invitations have been extended to all members of the craft to attend the school and hundreds from throughout northern Illinois are expected to be present at one or more of the sessions.

### Elks Meet Tonight to Initiate Candidates

A regular meeting of Dixon lodge No. 779, E. P. O. Elks will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the club house. A class of candidates will be initiated and a social session will follow.

### Fr. Lonergan of World W. Fame at Kiwanians

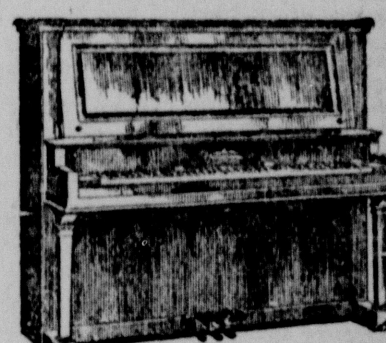
Rev. Joseph Lonergan of Rockford will be the speaker at the regular weekly meeting of the Dixon Kiwanis club Tuesday noon at 12:15 at the Christian church. Special entertainment has also been arranged for this meeting.

### Royal Arch Masons to Hold School this Week

There will be a school of instruction for Royal Arch Masons held in the Masonic hall Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This school is conducted by the board of grand examiners of the Grand Royal Arch chapter of Illinois. There will be three sessions each day beginning at 9 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Members of Dixon chapter are not only invited but requested to attend all sessions.

We will renew your Chicago paper for you. Evening Telegraph.

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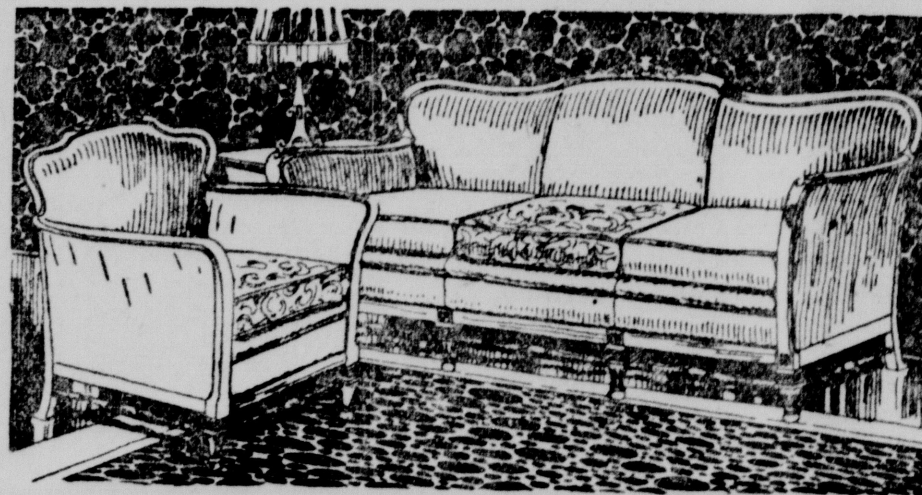
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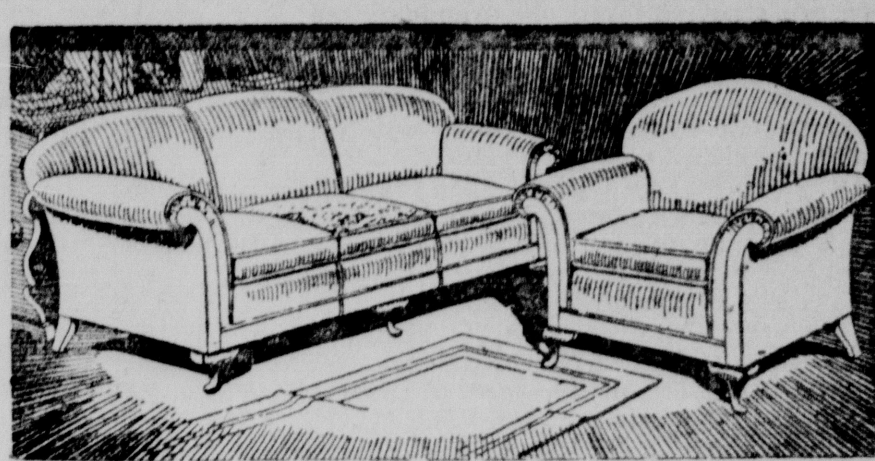
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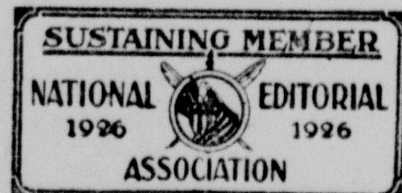
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## REAPPORTIONMENT, STATE AND NATIONAL.

Reapportionment is occupying attention again at both the state and national capitals. The Illinois assembly has failed to reapportion since 1900 and congress has failed to reapportion under the 1920 census, although we now are on the eve of the 1930 census.

In both governmental units the loss of representation has been an element that has contributed to the delay. In Illinois a reapportionment means the taking of senators and representatives from territory downstate and delivering them to Chicago. In the national congress it means the taking of members of the lower house from some states and distributing them among others. There is no reapportionment of senators involved in the problem of the national congress, as they are allotted two to each state by the constitution.

It would be possible for congress to reapportion without causing loss to any state, but that would require an increase in the total membership of the house. That has been the procedure followed quite generally in the past. Not more than once, we believe, has reapportionment been made except by increasing the total. The procedure has been simple, by adding to the states that have increased in population, leaving other states with the representation they had.

The house now has about 435 members. The number is unwieldy. Reduction would be better than increase, perhaps. No one desires to increase the membership. Lack of disposition to force a decrease in certain states has prevented the majority from undertaking a reapportionment. The fact that ultimately there must be a decrease of membership for some states tends to break down that barrier that has stood against action.

It is reported from Washington now that a bill favorably considered leaves the total membership the same and anticipates the population increase under the 1930 census.

Under the apportionment proposed, no change would be made in the representation of Illinois. Gains would be made in the following states: California, 6; Michigan, 4; Ohio, 3; New Jersey and Texas, 2; Arizona, Connecticut, Florida, Montana, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Washington, 1.

Losses would be in the following numbers: Missouri, 4; Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Mississippi, New York, 2; Alabama, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Nebraska, North Dakota, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, 1.

Chicago sees hope for reapportionment in Illinois in the proposal of Senator Dailey of Peoria to cause a commission to be appointed to prepare a plan for the state to be submitted to the general assembly in its present session. Under reapportionment some of the larger cities downstate may have their districts reduced to one county, and Chicago is attempting to enlist support from these.

In Illinois, however, it is one thing to frame a bill and another thing to obtain a majority of votes for it. Two elements work against it. One is the lack of inclination of members to eliminate themselves by combining two senators in one district as it now stands, compelling each to fight the other for supremacy, and the disposition of many members downstate not to vote further representation for Cook county until some concession is made toward limitation of the county in the assembly.

## MOTHER OF MEN.

Under Utah's golden sun Mrs. Sarah Jane Taylor has lived and worked and given children to the world. Now, at the age of 92, she numbers her living descendants at 308—enough people to start a town.

There are eight children, 50 grandchildren, 189 great-grandchildren and 61 great-great-grandchildren. She has stood by while four generations came into the world, took their roomy places on the western plains. She is proud of her people and proud of the sacrifices by which she gave the world so many citizens.

The story of Mrs. Taylor's success in life and the happiness of her heirs in the great west brings feelings of consideration of those less fortunate generations who came into the world in slatternly tenements, in the grimy shacks of toilers, in the back-alley districts of crowded cities.

Every day, winter and summer, the babies are born, in the palaces of kings and the hovels of the men who build great things with their bony hands—each of these babies with its own particular little outlook upon life.

A family dies out, choked perhaps by the rank growth about it, but five others emerge from the same weedy environs to win a place in the world, and a name that lasts for generations.

Mrs. Taylor is a living lesson in the history of humanity. She has seen the birth of four generations. Her life is a story of the march of the race toward supremacy.

Senator or no, Frank L. Smith ran a ball team in Illinois for years and years, and I guess you can't overlook that.

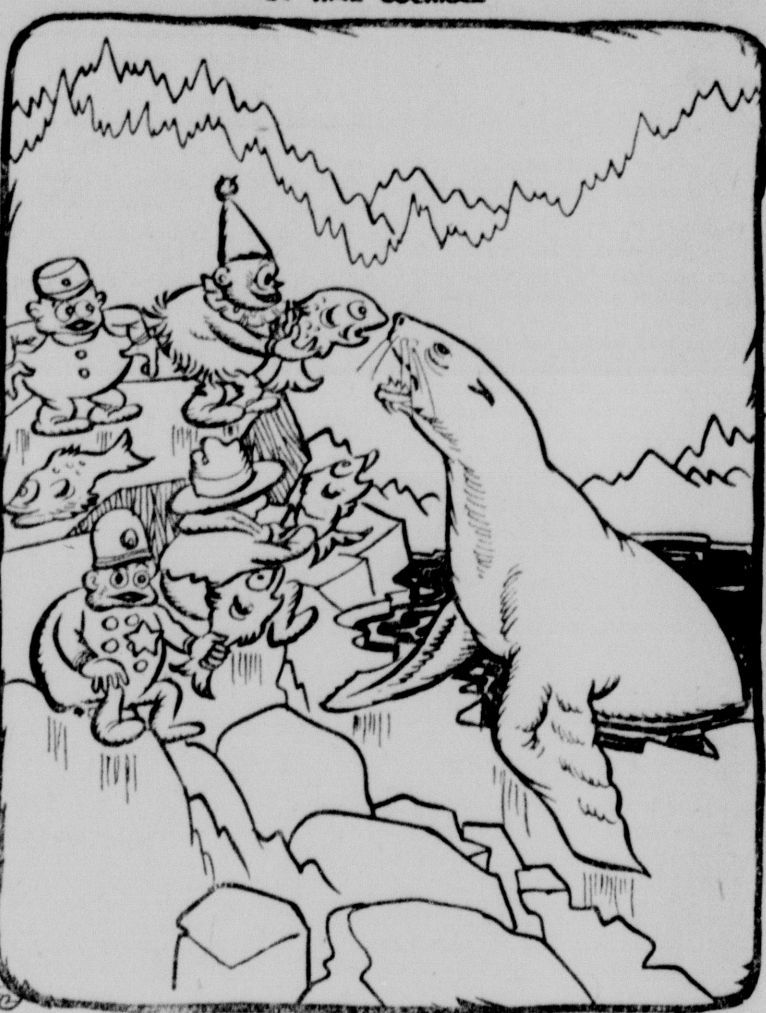
Moan not your lot today. There's an eight-family flat in Jersey City with eight radios, eight pianos and eight phonographs.

A strange bird attacked a timberman up in Quebec. Maybe it was that first robin, enraged at being spotted so early.

It the radio keeps growing in popularity as it has, pretty soon we'll have to have a constitutional amendment against it, we fear.

## THE TINYMITES

BY HAL COCHRAN



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

Some other seals crawled to the ice. No doubt they, too, thought fish were nice. The Tines had a lot of fun until the fish were gone. Then Scouty said, "Let's catch some more. The water has a lot in store." And then the Eskimo replied, "They only bite at dawn."

He then ran off without a word and not a thing from him was heard until he came rushing back and said, "I'll grant your wish. Just stand right still, and turn about, and then hold both your hands right out. If you're a real good catcher, you will catch a bunch of fish."

The Eskimo has brought some more of fish that he had had in store. When Scouty did as he was told, the fish came flying fast. Although this way to fish was poor, that's how he caught them, to be sure. And very shortly he was holding quite enough to last.

The seals stayed around an hour or so, but when filled up began to go.

They'd slide down in the water and then disappear from sight. Just one big seal remained behind. I guess he thought the Tines kind. Then Clowny let a holler out that almost brought on fright.

"I'll tell you what we'll do," said he, "To fill us up with pep and glee. We'll get the seal to carry us around upon his neck." "Oh, no," said Clowny, in reply. "That's something I don't care to try. I'm sure that I would fall right off and be a total wreck."

But Clowny wished to have the thrill, so as the friendly seal stood still, he climbed right up and sat right down, and then said, "Hey, let's go!" The seal, at first, seemed quite surprised, but then, I guess, he realized what Clowny wished so he began to move along real slow.

(Clowny gets a ducking in the next story.) (Copyright 1927, NEA Service Inc.)

## SAINT and SINNER

Perhaps Martha Lane would have been flattered at the tremendous public interest which her death had aroused. She had been born in obscurity, grown up in obscure poverty, married without ceremony, a man as obscure as herself, reared her family in obscurity, until one of her brood had developed into a wild little bird-of-paradise, whose brilliance and beauty could not be concealed.

Probably no funeral in the history of the city had been attended by so many uninvited guests as gathered in the street and on the sidewalk before the shabby, shambling little house in Myrtle Street on Wednesday morning. Police reserves were sent out long before the hour of the funeral, to hold the mob in check. Although it was bitterly cold that cheerless first day of December, hundreds of morbidly curious men and women boys and girls, gathered soon after daybreak, filling the whole block, waiting patiently for hours for a glimpse of Cherry, who was to be brought to the funeral under a heavy police guard, and of the suddenly famous Lane family.

Aunt Hattie Lane had spent the night at the Myrtle Street house, sharing the vigil of the family and making herself unceasingly useful by brewing hot coffee, tartly refusing interviews to reporters, and by talking briskly and cheerfully on subjects not even remotely connected with death and murder. Faith had never loved her acidulous, withered little old spinster aunt so much in her life as she did before Wednesday morning dawned.

Joy had been told on Tuesday of her mother's death, but her Aunt Hattie had wisely refused to allow her to come home until Wednesday. Grandpa and Grandma Lane, feeble and subdued, but almost bright-eyed with interest and importance as relatives of both a newly deceased person and an accused murderer, arrived at nine o'clock, each holding tightly to Joy's hands as they stepped out of Bob Hathaway's car.

"I look a sight, in this old dress and hat," Grandma Lane quivered to Bob, after they had passed the battery of cameras.

He smiled at her, understanding her, not blaming her for an instant that she had wanted to "look nice" in the only pictures of her that had

been made for publication. The sight of Faith, in her plain black satin dress, her bloodless lips entirely free of rouge, her cheeks far whiter than those of the dead woman, deep circles of fatigue and grief under her great brown eyes, touched his heart more profoundly than she had ever done, when she had looked her handsomest, brightest self. He had never felt more utterly sure of his abiding love for her.

"Please, Bob, tell the preacher not to make a funeral oration," Faith pleaded, a moist hysteria. "I couldn't stand that. He didn't know her at all—Just tell him to read the service. Oh, Bob, I'm afraid for Cherry! Could anything be more dreadful than her coming home to this? We must get it over with quickly. Bob, for Dad's sake—and Cherry's—"

The kitchen door was flung open, and Joy's shrill voice, rising grotesquely in the funeral calm of the bereaved house, told them, "Cherry's coming! I see her, Faith—through the window! There are lots of policemen and a big fat woman with a policeman's badge—"

"Don't talk so loud, honey," Faith said gently. Then, with head held high but her heart bursting with pain and pity, she went to meet her sister.

TOMORROW: The startling effect of tragedy on Cherry Lane Wiley, "accused murderer."

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERNS

EGAD, THE VERY IDEA! SUCH BRAZEN NERVE AND EFFRONTERY! YOU A MERE DEPUTY SHERIFF, RATING YOURSELF HIGHER AND SUPERIOR TO ME, A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE!! IN FAUGH, HAVE YOU NO SENSE OF PROPORTION? A DEPUTY SHERIFF—HMF!—FURTHERMORE—EH, WHAT'S THIS? WEARING MY BEST SHIRT TO ARGUE WITH ME!!!

WELL—

YOU SEEM TO FORGET THAT I'M TH' BABY OF TH' FAMILY! FIVE YEARS YOUNGER THAN YOU, AN' I COULD SPELL YOU DOWN ALL THRU GRADE SCHOOL!— BESIDES THAT, YOU OWE A LOT TO ME AMOS, I PULLED YOU OUT OF A MILL POND ONCE, AN' YOU HAD ON MY SKATES!— PAPA ALWAYS SAID OF ME, "AVE, THERE'S A LAD"!— BE CAREFUL! NO ORDINARY JUSTICE CAN GASS A BIG CITY DEPUTY!!

THE HOOPLE BOYS

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"TRUTH" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, January 23.

The Golden Text was from Isaiah 25:1, "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth."

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God" (John 3:19, 21).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The rays of Infinite Truth, when gathered into the focus of ideas, bring light instantaneously, whereas a thousand years of human doctrines, hypotheses, and vague conjectures emit no such effulgence" (p. 504).

FRANKLIN GROVE NEWS NOTES

FRANKLIN GROVE, Jan. 20.—John Howard and daughter, Miss Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hain and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard and children spent Sunday in Ashton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard. The happy occasion was the birthday anniversary of Dorothy Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle entertained, Sunday, with a duck dinner, honoring their daughter Marian's anniversary. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross and so Kenneth and Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford.

The 7th and 8th grades of the local school enjoyed a real old-fashioned bob sleigh ride Tuesday night. The sleds and horses were furnished by Charles Pyle. They just had the best time ever, riding, until they all became cold, then went to the home of Helen Senger where her mother, Mrs. Frank Senger had prepared wonderful refreshments for the happy young

folks. They were chaperoned by Misses Lorene Crum and Marian Crawford.

The Standard Bearers met Monday night at the home of Miss Ruth Zeeler. The meeting was an enjoyable one. A short lesson and refreshments was the evening entertainment.

Wednesday of last week the Standard Bearers met at the home of Miss Eva Blocher where a scramble supper was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford of Kansas City came Friday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lohmeyer. Mr. Crawford went to Chicago Monday, but his wife remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. R. N. Johnson's class of the Methodist Sunday school met Tuesday evening at the W. W. Phillips home. There were eighteen present to enjoy the evening. Delicious refreshments were served. The lesson for next Sunday discussed in a most interesting manner. During the evening officers were elected for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Mrs. LaForest Meredith; vice-president, Mrs. S. R. Timothy; secretary, Mrs. Fred Krehl; treasurer, W. W. Phillips. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Timothy.

We are in receipt of a card from E. R. Buck from the White House, in Biloxi, Mississippi, in which he wrote, "I am attending a life insurance men's convention here this week. Will visit along the gulf coast and on Friday and Saturday in New Orleans. Climate ideal!"

Life returned home the first of the week and reports a wonderful trip and lovely scenery, but found it cold here when he landed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cover, yesterday evening, the following guests: tained with a six o'clock dinner. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gross; Mrs. A. W. Crawford; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dysart; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dysart; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hausen; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Senger; Mr. and Mrs. James Conlon; Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stultz. The evening was spent in playing bridge at which Mrs. William Crawford won first prize and Raymond Dysart won head prize for the gentlemen.

If you have any item of interest, please call 102. We want all the news all the time.

USE OLD HORN

Honolulu—O slender coaching horn brought to the islands 40 years ago from England and presented to Hawaii's last king, was used to sound calls in a recent flag-staff dedication at the Oahu Golf and Country Club. The horn was used years ago on one of the famous coaches in which the gentry rode out from London.

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# At Sea

## CHAPTER I

Of all scenes of sheer gayety, of relaxed conventionalities, of utter freedom from responsibility, care or trouble, there is no spot to compare with an ocean bathing beach.

The wine-dark sea may stretch its dangerous depths to the far horizon in one direction; the land with its seething spots of civilization, may yawn with equal dangers on the other side; but at the joining, the foam-fringed bit of No Man's Land between earth and water, all is merriment and abandon.

Bars are let down, restraint flies, caste is forgotten, and high and low, good and bad, real and imitation are made free and equal by the one touch of salt water that makes the whole world kin.

Among the beaches best adapted for sea dipping are those on the coast of New Jersey, and of those one of the finest is the great resort called Ocean Town.

Its habitues contend that nowhere else is the temperature of the water always as it should be, and the adjustment of the sun's rays a counsel of perfection.

Year after year, the lovers of the place return with joy and leave with regret.

July opened auspiciously. Everything was in readiness for an enormous celebration of the national holiday, and those who could do so came a few days ahead of the crowds, to get, as it were, a running start.

The noonday sun shone down on hundreds of human hands in long, straight rows—human fists rather, as each tightly clasped itself round the hard, thick rope that shot its way far out into the ocean.

With many the sea bath consisted in a continuous frantic clutch on this life-line, while the more adventurous dared let go, and buffet the spent waves near the shore.

Others still, and these were the ones that turned gray the hair of the life guards, were possessed to swim out far beyond their depths, and beyond all bounds of wisdom or safety. But the lure of the surf is a subtle spell and its danger seems negligible when the great waves call.

On the other side of the last lace-edged frill of the combers, the beach groups sat about in utter bliss of contentment.

Here, a family from an inner county of the state; there a small crowd from the Middle West; yonder a gay bunch from New York City itself.

A quiet, sophisticated-looking group of five consisted of three men, a young woman and a girl.

The girl wore a modish swimming suit of wool jersey, flowered in quiet colors, with a rubberized silk bathing cap and hemmed sandals.

Her lithe eagerness proclaimed her a swimmer, and she was manifestly impatient to start.

The other woman, only slightly older, was garbed in an elaborate bathing costume of flowered crepe de chine, with a coquettish beret that fell over to one side of her curly bobbed hair. Clearly, she had no intention of dampening her newly marcelled locks. Her frock was ruffled and sashed, and a smart beach cap of flowered silk fell from her shoulders.

Her lovely face was alight with fun, her eyes dancing with laughter, when suddenly catching sight of some men and women approaching, she gave a stifled startled exclamation, and swung the gay parasol she was holding



He was a big man of perhaps fifty.

round till it shielded her face.

"What's the matter, Maddy?" cried the girl by her side, "cozy?"

"Sun in my eyes," was the reply, but when the parasol was again pushed aside, the dark eyes, with their heavy brows, and the red lips paled beneath their

red, and called for a fresh application from the enameled vanity case she carried.

The oldest of the three men rose and shook himself like a big dog.

"Come on, people," he said, "what are we waiting for? I suppose, Robin, you and Angelica will take your life in your hands, as usual."

"Yes, rather," and the girl in the swimming suit scrambled to her feet. "Today, we're going way out—farther than ever before."

"Fools!" growled the older man. "I wouldn't mind, only it's so expensive to subsidize a guard to pay exclusive attentions to you two idiots. Well, go to it."

They all rose then, the beautiful Madeline Barron, in her French costume, and her adoring husband, Ned Barron, the Copper King.

The pretty girl, Angelica Fair, was her friend and guest, and the other two, father and son, were Crocydon Sears and his boy, Robin.

But, about to start, Madeline was delayed by the appearance of her three-year-old daughter, with her nurse.

The baby was in bathing rompers and gleeful at the prospect of going in paddling. Both parents stopped and sat down on the sand again.

"Go ahead, you people," Barron sang out. "We'll come along in a minute. We want to play with

## Carolyn Wells

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unlined and his eyes clear and bright.

Deep set, dark eyes they were, that had looked upon much of this world, for better and for worse, and whose shrewd appraisals were rarely at fault.

Now, he was observing the beach crowd, the young girls and women in their alluring costumes and the men in their scarcely scantier garb.

"The bathing suits grow prettier every year," he said, with an appreciative glance at the passing throng, and then at the two women in his own party.

"Oh, come on," said Neville, the other member of their quartet, "you can look at them in the shop windows on the boardwalk later. I assure you, Garry, they have some stunning rigs on show."

"But perhaps it isn't only the garment that pleases the eye of Mr. Folsom," Carmelita Valdon suggested, wishing now she had worn a more decolette effect than her chic pajama suit.

"Everything pleases me," he declared, smilingly, and rose, stretching himself luxuriously as he feasted his eyes on the gorgeous scene. "I haven't been down here for three years, and the place is renewing its charm for me. I always did love it. I only wish I could swim in the surf. Look at those chaps way out beyond the breakers! That's the stuff."

"Don't you swim?" asked the Duchess. "I'm glad, for then you'll stay with us. I hate men who get me clutched to the rope and then say 'Excuse me a moment,' and next thing you know they're out beyond the three-mile limit!"

"Nothing like that!" Folsom smiled at her. "I can swim all day in still water, but not in the surf. Probably could, after a little practice."

"Don't practice; stay with us," smiled Mrs. Valdon, and Folsom agreed to do so.

So the four of them grasped the rope, and, like puppets on a string, jumped up and down, sprang at the oncoming waves, choked and laughed as the salt water dashed over them and behaved generally like irresponsible children in a big bathtub.

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"You did so!" insisted Carmelita, who stood next to him, and who laid a detaining hand on his own, as if he grasped the rope next to hers. "If you want to swim, choose some other time. Just now you are a squire of dames. Isn't he, Duchess?"

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## FRUIT CONSUMERS MORE PARTICULAR IN THEIR BUYING

### Orchardists are Given Pointers at Meeting at Urbana

Urbana, Ill.—(AP)—Consumers are becoming more and more particular about the type, size and grade of fruits and vegetables they will buy. J. V. Lloyd, chief in orchiculture, told orchardists and fruit growers attending the 30th annual farmers' week at the college of agriculture, University of Illinois.

The tendency has been to give more and more preference to large sizes in apples and peaches, for instance, and to insist on certain varieties, he said. This discrimination on the part of the public is even more marked in years of abundant crop, such as 1926, he pointed out. Apple, peach and pear crops this past year were the largest they have been for several years, he said.

Referring to the preferences of the buying public, he continued, "It is easier to grow what the market demands in the way of size and varieties in both fruits and vegetables than it is to educate the market to take kindly to the size and kind of product the grower finds it easier to produce."

"Perhaps the wisest plan for orchardists to follow would be to cut down all trees except those of standard, popular market varieties in both apples and peaches. This sounds harsh, but it may be the most profitable thing to do with the old varieties."

Citing figures from the DuPage county dairy herd improvement association, Prof. W. W. Yapp, of the dairy department, told those attending the dairy sessions that cows producing less than 4000 pounds of milk a year return only about \$31 above feed costs, while those that yield more than 10,000 pounds of milk pay about \$164 above feed costs.

He spoke on the subject, "Dairy Herd Management," and cited the figures to show that the cost of production is in relation to the amount of production.

Continuing, he said, "The dairyman cannot practice the most careful methods of breeding and selection and neglect the feeding and management of his animals and materially increase production. Neither can he improve the conditions under which his herd is kept and entirely neglect the breeding and selection end of his future production."

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## ABE MARTIN

Peace is th' greatest o' all blessin's, but you've got t' be awful poor an' obscure t' git any. Ther's now three kinds o' Christmasuses, white, green an' black, all dependin' on th' weather or your bootlegger.

herd and be prosperous. To be true, better feeding and management is the only way in which the production of animals now in existence can be improved. Nevertheless, the far-seeing dairyman will begin now to take advantage of improved breeding, even though he realizes that the benefits from it will be deferred to the next generation, a matter of some three years."

Illinois' farm poultry industry, which produces 113,000,000 dozen eggs annually this afternoon had its in-ning. The entire afternoon program of the annual husbandry department was given over to problems which are of interest just now to the state's chicken raisers.

Approximately 17 per cent of the 113,000,000 dozen eggs which are produced annually in the state are lost between origin and consumption, and if that loss is to be stopped and the industry expanded, the present marketing system must undergo changes for the better, P. A. Dyar, egg marketing specialist of the state department of agriculture, said in an address on the subject, "The Grading of Illinois Eggs."

He recommended that the surest way to increase egg consumption is to feed the consumer fresh, palatable eggs that can be brought under grades that specify their exact degree of excellence.

Poultry profits are determined largely by size of flock, egg production per hen, proportion of pullets to yearlings, rate of mortality, price received for market eggs and experience of the operator, Dr. L. E. Card, chief in poultry husbandry at the college of

### Possession of Green Hides Violation of Law

Springfield, Ill.—(AP)—Possession of green hides before the opening of the trapping season is construed a violation of the law, even though they may have been brought in from a section where the open season was effective, Attorney General Oscar Carlstrom held.

The ruling was on a case in Wabash county. A deputy game warden arrested a trapper for having green hides in his possession before the opening of the season. The trapper, however, obtained judgment against the deputy in a replevin suit, the court holding the hides were his property. He produced witnesses to show they were taken in Indiana during the open season there.

Carlstrom held that simple possession of green hides is an offense. Where they came from, he said, makes no difference.

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## FEVERS SPARED OVER 10,000 IN ILLINOIS IN '26

### Fewer Sick With Fevers Last Year Than Died from Them in '86

Springfield—Sickness from typhoid fever and diphtheria is now less prevalent in Illinois than were deaths from these two infections forty years ago, while the mortality rate from both diseases in 1926 was 6 per 100,000 population compared with 160 in 1886. These facts are contained in a statement issued here today by Dr. Isaac Rawlings, state health director, who points out that 11,520 persons would have succumbed to typhoid and diphtheria in Illinois in 1926 had the 1886 rate prevailed, whereas only 630 died and only 6,208 cases of illness from both diseases were reported during the entire year.

"That sickness from typhoid and diphtheria is no less prevalent than were deaths from these diseases forty years ago is a glowing tribute to scientific medicine and the demand of the modern citizen for sanitation," declared Dr. Rawlings. "Annual deaths from the two diseases during the first five of these forty years averaged 5,615. For the last five years they averaged 443. For the first year of the period there were 5,615 deaths. For the last there were only 6,208 cases of illness."

"The drop in mortality and sickness from diphtheria has been due to the use of antitoxin in treating patients and the use of toxinantoxin in making children immune to this infection. Last year only 4,531 cases were reported, with 362 deaths, according to provisional figures. In 1886 there were 3,957 deaths when the population of the state was only one-half what it is now."

"Typhoid fever has declined principally because people have abandoned private wells for safe public water supplies and have replaced the old outside toilets with water closets that permit the safe removal of sewage off milk and the cleanliness of other food supplies is also an important factor. Last year there were only 1,677 cases of typhoid reported in Illinois, whereas in 1886 there were 1,658 deaths recorded against that disease."

"While the phenomenal decline in mortality from these maladies reflect a triumphant victory for science, it is a lamentable fact that any deaths now occur from these causes. Why sacrifice 355 children to diphtheria in as many days when toxinantoxin will make them immune."

## TIME TABLES

The following tables, corrected to date, show the leaving time for all passenger trains on the C. & N. W. and I. C. railroads.

### Chicago & Northwestern

**EAST BOUND**  
Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
10 Daily ..... 8:02 a. m. 7:00 a. m.  
24 Daily Ex. Sun. 6:14 a. m. 9:55 a. m.  
18 Daily ..... 6:54 a. m. 9:35 a. m.  
26 Daily ..... 1:18 p. m. 3:55 p. m.  
4 Ex. Sun. .... 3:58 p. m. 7:30 p. m.  
12 Daily ..... 5:12 p. m. 7:45 p. m.  
100 Sun only ..... 4:15 p. m. 7:15 p. m.

**WEST BOUND**  
Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
3 Daily ..... 11:55 p. m. 2:40 a. m.  
13 Daily Ex. Sun. 6:20 a. m. 10:18 a. m.  
13 Daily ..... 10:30 a. m. 12:51 p. m.  
25 Daily ..... 2:30 p. m. 5:06 p. m.  
23 Daily Ex. Sun. 5:01 p. m. 8:09 p. m.  
11 Daily ..... 6:05 p. m. 8:25 p. m.  
\*\*No. 27 ..... 8:30 p. m. 10:55 p. m.  
17 Daily ..... 10:15 p. m. 12:30 a. m.  
59 Sunday only ..... 4:45 p. m. 8:12 p. m.

### PEORIA PASSENGER

801—Leaves Dixon at 7:30 a. m.; arrives Peoria 11:00 a. m. except Sunday.  
802—Leaves Peoria at 4:15 p. m. except Sunday arrives Dixon at 7:55 p. m.  
800—Leaves Nelson at 7:05 a. m. except Sunday, arriv Dixon 7:20 a. m.  
\*\* No. 27 stops at Dixon for first-class sleeping car passengers for Cheyenne, Wyoming or beyond and for points north of Ames, Iowa.

### Illinois Central

**SOUTH BOUND**  
Lv. Freeport Ar. Dixon  
119 Daily ..... 5:00 a. m. 7:20 a. m.  
131 Ex. Sunday ..... 2:45 p. m. 4:50 p. m.

**NORTH BOUND**  
Lv. Dixon Ar. Freeport  
132 Ex. Sunday ..... 10:13 a. m. 11:30 a. m.  
120 Daily ..... 6:24 p. m. 7:40 p. m.

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## GOV. SMALL IS SLOW IN USING PROCLAMATIONS

### Not Eager to Use Seal of State for Sentimental Causes

Springfield, Ill.—(AP)—Governor Len Small doesn't believe in issuing proclamations promiscuously for special occasions. On an average of three times a week, he politely but firmly says "no" to individuals and organizations who would have him put out a state document containing arguments for the observance of particular movements.

He was asked to proclaim Jan. 23 as "Law and Order Sunday" and he responded that every Sunday was law and order Sunday in Illinois.

"I am conscious of the good effect such a proclamation might have on the public mind, but in issuing proclamations the governor of any state is more or less constrained to limit himself to proclamations prescribed by statute or sanctioned by age-old custom," he said.

"There may be necessity for executive proclamation in time of public stress and emergency. That fact alone lends grave importance to a governor's proclamation and no one responsible to that high office, should be too eager to use his signature and the seal of the state in response to sentiment or emotion."

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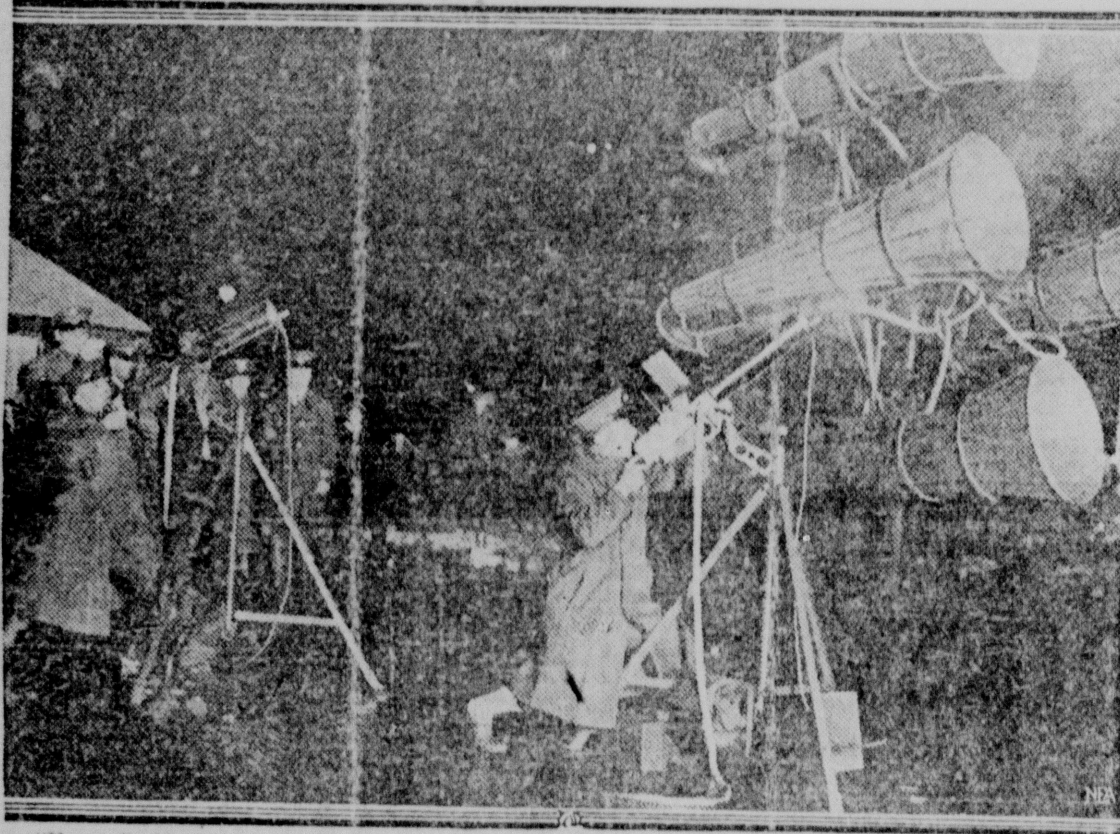


## Mary's Little Lamb Has Grown to Mutton



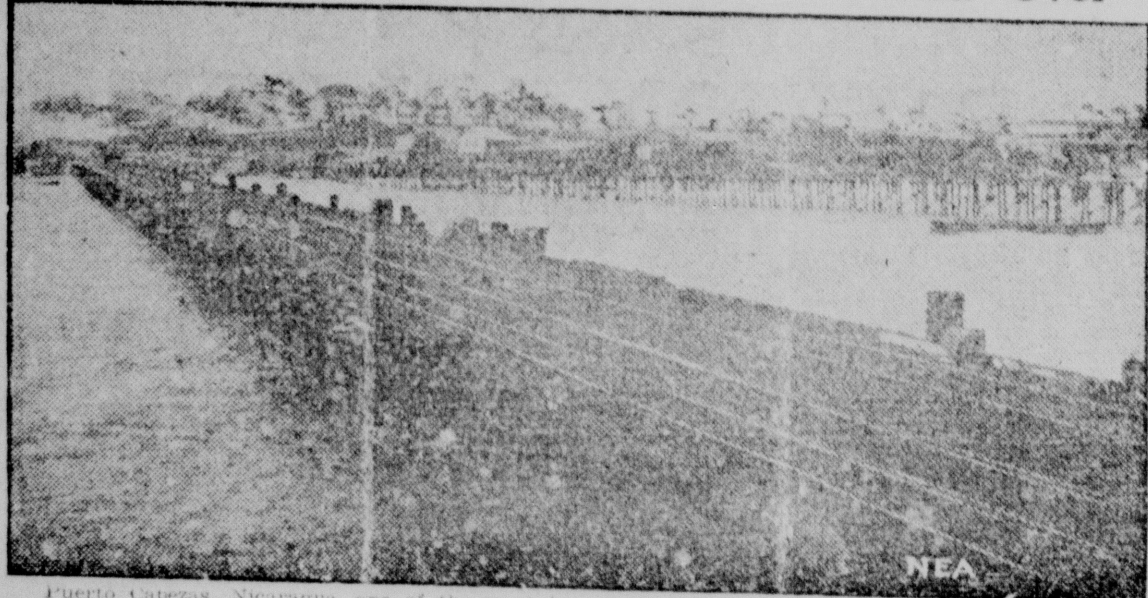
Henry Ford trekked all the way from Detroit to Sudbury, Mass., to be present at the reopening of the school house to which Mary Sawyer's epic lamb once followed her to class. Restored by Ford to practical use, it stands on his famous Wayside Inn property. He and Mrs. Ford are here seen in the doorway surrounded by the neighborhood kids who are the new pupils at the school. It was by accident that the sheep, perhaps a descendant of Mary's own, strayed into the picture.

## Warm Welcome for New York's Aerial Visitors



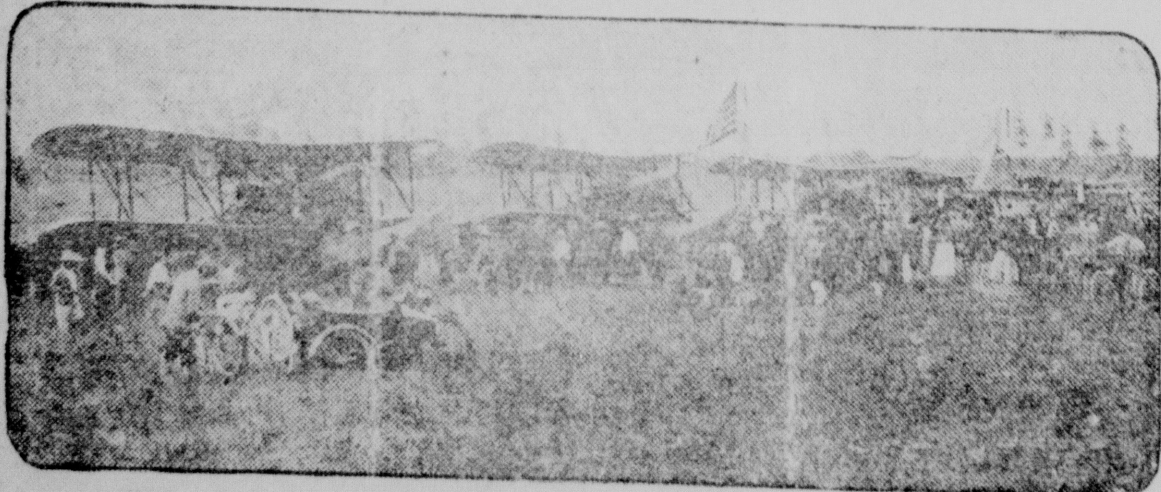
"Enemy" planes which came to "bomb" Manhattan Island the other night were hotly received by the anti-aircraft men of the 62nd Regiment. Microphonic detectors, seen at right, warned of the approach of the planes and while searchlights held them in intersecting beams, machine guns played on them from Union Square. Blank ammunition prevented casualties.

## Puerto Cabezas—Where the Pot Boiled Over



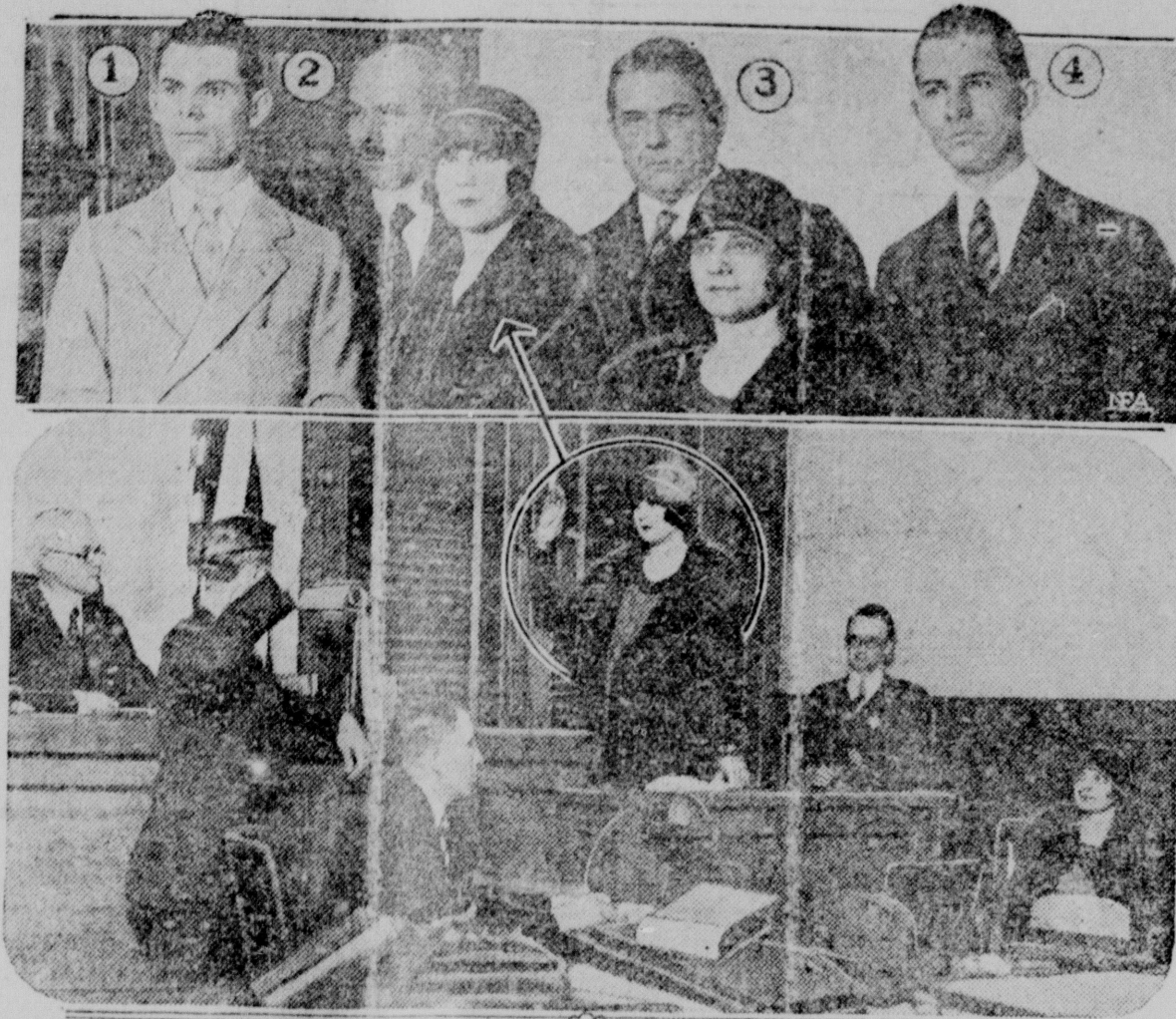
Puerto Cabezas, Nicaragua, one of the most important centers of the controversy over American interference in Nicaragua's political affairs, is pictured here. Fronting on the Caribbean sea, on Nicaragua's east coast, the town is the headquarters of the Sacasa or "revolutionary" faction of Nicaraguans. It is one of the places where Admiral Latimer landed U. S. Marines and established a "neutral zone" thereby starting a storm of debate in both Americas. In the foreground are pits and docks. In the background is Bragman's Bluff, on which most of the town is built.

## Good-Will Flyers Land at Guatemala City



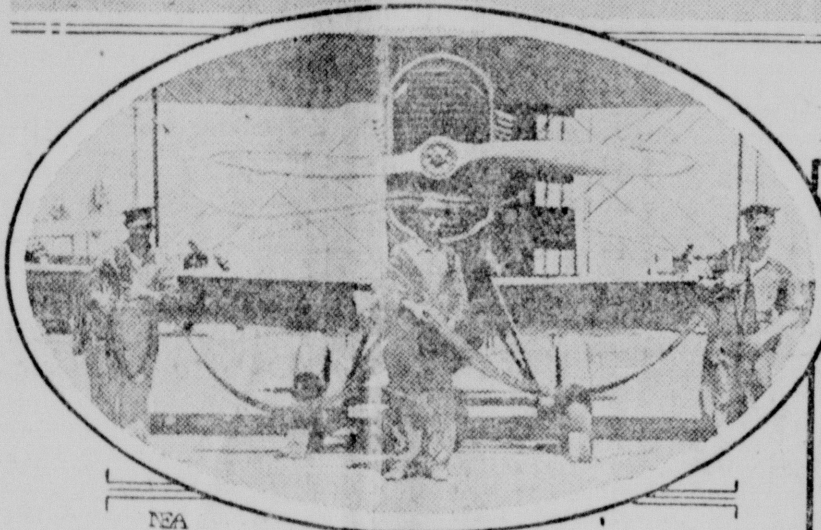
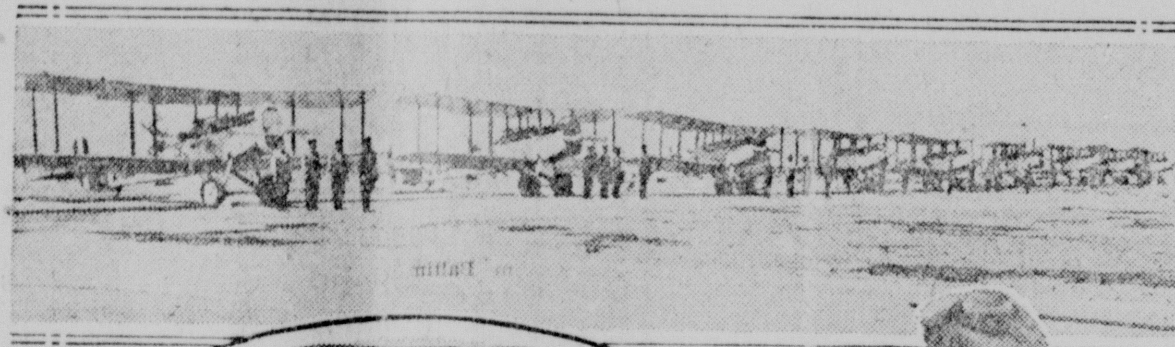
The Central American republic of Guatemala isn't very crowded, but there was a goodly throng on hand when the U. S. army Pan-American flyers swooped down onto the grassy landing field at Guatemala City. General Lazaro Chacon, president of the republic, headed the delegation that gave the Americans the greeting pictured here. The flyers are doing a 20,000 mile trip around South America.

## When Lita Got That \$4000 a Month Alimony



Here are the first pictures showing Lita Grey Chaplin's first appearance in court at Los Angeles, when she was awarded \$4000 a month alimony from her famous husband, Charlie Chaplin. Below Lita is shown on the witness stand being sworn, with Judge Walter Guerin on the bench. Above are Lita and her mother, Mrs. Lillian Spicer, with Lita's battery of attorneys. They are: No. 1, William K. Young; No. 2, Milton K. Young; No. 3, Edwin T. McMurray; No. 4, Lyndol Young.

## U. S. Air Forces Heads for Nicaragua



News of the "landing" of Marines in Nicaragua soon may be changed to read that Marines "took the air" down in that troubled country. At least these pictures show a combined fighting and observation squadron of marine corps planes preparing at San Diego for Nicaraguan service. Above is the squadron undergoing final inspection. One lower photo shows yards and yards of machine gun ammunition provided for one of the ships; the other shows Captain J. P. Mulcahy, one of the squadron's officers.



Fiction? No.

## \$100,000 More of Woe For "Bunny" Browning



"Bunny" Browning, big trial and trouble man from New York, was given something else to worry about when Renee Shapiro, here perusing her complaint, filed a \$100,000 suit against him for alleged assault. What with "Peaches" Browning's separation action about to come to trial and Mary Louise Spas' \$500,000 suit on the calendar, Browning faces many anxious days in court.



A quadrangle instead of the conventional "triangle" was disclosed when Mrs. Isabelle Keyes Burch and Captain Arnaldo Marson, pictured above, were arrested in San Francisco. They had eloped from New York. Mrs. Burch is the wife of Marson's son-in-law, Lyndon Walkup Burch, who was left in New York with his mother, Mrs. Marson. The photos were taken after the arrest of Marson and Mrs. Burch on federal charges.

## In for Dan, Out for "Ma"



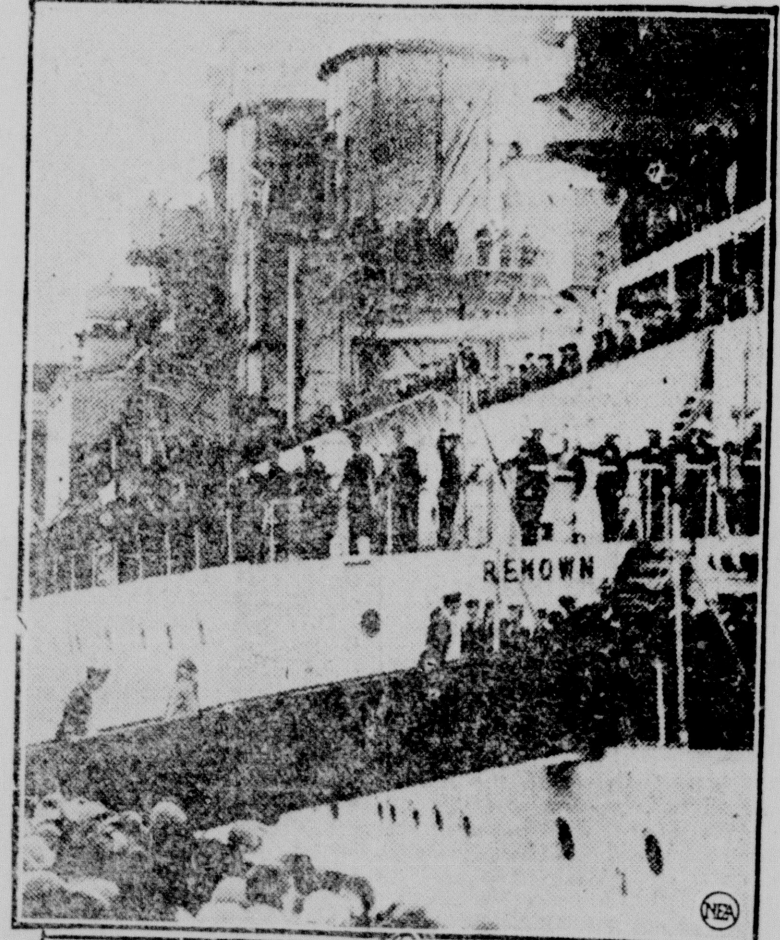
Dan Moody was becoming governor of Texas and "Ma" Ferguson was lapsing back into private citizenship when these pictures were taken. The upper photo shows the red-headed young Lone Star executive (right) being sworn in by C. M. Cureton, chief justice of the Texas supreme court. Below are Moody and Mrs. Ferguson seated side by side during the ceremonies, icily ignoring each other.

## Shoulders the Keystone



Here is John S. Fisher, successor of Gifford Pinchott, taking the oath of office as Governor of Pennsylvania before the state capitol at Harrisburg. With him in the close-up is his charming daughter, Mary.

## Bidding Brother Bon Voyage



Off to the antipodes on their dominion cruise go the Duke and Duchess of York. Followed by the Prince of Wales, they are here seen ascending the gangplank of H. M. S. Renown at Portsmouth.



# SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

## JOHNSON "GRANTED TEMPORARY" REST FROM HIS DUTIES

## League Owners Relieve Stormy Head of Am- erican Ball Loop

Chicago, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Frank J. Navin of Detroit today is acting president of the American League.

Byron Bancroft Johnson, who founded the circuit in 1900 and has been its president ever since, has been voted a "temporary vacation" because of his health. His physician said Johnson never again may be able to assume the duties of president of the league.

Action of the eight league club owners last night in relieving Johnson of his post automatically postponed the meeting Commissioner Landis had called for today at which there was to have been a show down between the commissioner and Johnson over the Cobb-Speaker charges.

Landis said he would have a statement later on the status of these players who Johnson previously had said would not manage American League clubs this year.

### Cobb Is Made Offer.

With the passing from league councils, at least for a time, of Johnson, there came from Baltimore, the report that Cobb has been offered a salary of \$25,000 to play this year with the Baltimore Orioles of the International League.

A formal statement concerning the status of Johnson was given out following a meeting of the eight club owners of the league last night.

"Mr. Johnson's personal physician," said the formal statement, "certified to the meeting that Mr. Johnson's health was such that he should immediately take a much needed rest."

"Thereupon, the duties of the president were entrusted for the time being to F. J. Navin of Detroit, vice president of the league."

Club owners revealed also that President Johnson informed them he had submitted to Commissioner Landis "all evidence in the matter of the Cobb and Speaker investigations."

## MICHIGAN RESTS ALONE AT PEAK OF CAGE FIGHT

## Defeated Indiana and Took Undisputed Lead Saturday

Chicago, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Michigan, the only undefeated basketball team in the Western Conference tonight meets Minnesota at the other end of the Big Ten percentage table with no victories and five defeats.

Michigan looped her fourth straight victory Saturday night by beating Indiana, thus climbing from a tie with the Hoosiers to undisputed leadership. The defeat dropped Indiana to a tie with Purdue for third place under Wisconsin, the Badgers having squeezed a 25-24 victory from Northwestern at the same time Indiana was taking her beating.

Besides the Michigan game tonight, Minnesota has one other game on the week's schedule, meeting Ohio Saturday. The only other Big Ten game this week will be between Indiana and Chicago with a chance for a second place tie if Indiana wins.

Conference sharpshooting honors today are jointly held by Daugherty of Illinois and Cummins of Purdue, each having totaled 47 points.

**Big Ten Standing**

Team	W.	L.
Michigan	4	0
Wisconsin	4	1
Indiana	3	1
Purdue	3	1
Illinois	3	1
Iowa	2	2
Ohio State	2	2
Chicago	1	3
Minnesota	0	5
Northwestern	0	5

**Saturday's Results**

Illinois, 40; Iowa, 33.
Ohio State, 32; Minnesota, 20.
Notre Dame, 37; Wabash, 26.
Wisconsin, 25; Northwestern 24.

**PLANE HAS BRIDGE**  
London.—The pilot's seat of a huge new seaplane has been built on a captain's bridge above the cabins of the passengers, such as is found on ocean liners.

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## INFIELD BUILT AROUND COLLINS STARTS FOR MACK

## Great Second Baseman Returns to "First Love" in Spring

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—(AP)—A new infield built around Eddie Collins, his star second baseman of championship days, carries the pennant hopes of 64 year old Connie Mack, in his 27th season as manager of the Philadelphia Athletics.

Returning to the same post he occupied in Mack's famous \$100,000 infield combination, Collins, deposed leader of the White Sox, will have new Philadelphia co-workers on both right and left, Connie has indicated. Replacing Galloway at short will be Joe Boley, while at first base will be Dudley Brannan. Jimmy Dykes again is slated for third base.

With the combination as a starter, Mack will have probably the best equipped reserve infield in organized baseball, with Poole for first base, Bishop second, Galloway, short and Hale, third.

The changes have been made primarily to bolster one of the weakest hitting clubs of the 1926 American League campaign. In Collins and Brannan, he has obtained two players who hit well over 300 last year.

Zach Wheat, who for years finished among the National League batting leaders, appears slated to patrol left field with Al Simmons in center and French in right.

The pitching staff holding over from last year includes Ebnike, Gray, Rommel and Quinn, right handers and Grove, Willis, Walberg and Pate, southpaws.

Mickey Coghane, Cy Perkins and Jimmy Fox again will handle the catching assignment.

## Texas Open Tourney is Next Big Event of Golf

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 24.—(AP)—With Tommy Armour, professional from the Congressional Country Club, Washington, D. C., victorious in the \$2,500 El Paso open tournament, nearly a score of national golf stars today turned to San Antonio for the \$10,000 Texas open which opens Thursday and continues through Saturday.

After turning in a 71, two under par for the morning round, Armour turned the 18 hole El Paso club course in 67 yesterday afternoon to complete the 72 hole match with a total of 288.

## Dixon High Has Sole Hold on First Place

As a result of Dixon high school's stirring victory over Sterling in this city Friday evening, the local basketball team has sole possession of first place in the Rock River Conference this week; and joy reigns supreme among the players, although they realize they face many hard games before the end of the conference season. Rochelle handed Rock Falls another trimming Friday evening, the score being 21 to 17.

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## DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL MEETS MARCH 10, 11, 12

## Sterling One of Forty- Eight Cities Given H. S. Tournament

DeKalb, Ill.—(AP)—Dates for the district, sectional and state basketball tournaments have been announced by C. W. Whitten, manager of the Illinois High School Athletic Association, after a meeting of the board of control in Chicago.

District tournaments will be held in forty-eight cities on March 10, 11, and 12, and sectional tournaments on March 18, and 19 in eight cities. The winners of the eight sectional tournaments will gather at the University of Illinois March 24, 25 and 26 for the state tournament.

District tournaments will be held at Aurora, Benton, Cairo, Charleston, Centralia, Cicero, Danville, Decatur, DeKalb, Dundee, East St. Louis, Fairfield, Farmington, Freeport, Galesburg, Granite City, Greenville, Harrisburg, Herrin, Hillsboro, Jackson, Joliet.

Kankakee, Lincoln, Macomb, Mason City, Monticello, Mt. Carmel, Murphysboro, Normal, Olney, Ottawa, Pana, Paris, Paxton, Pekin, Peoria, Pittsfield, Pontiac, Princeton, Quincy, Robinson, Rock Island, Rushville, Savana, Springfield, Sterling and Waukegan.

Winners of the district tournaments will be represented in the eight sectional tournaments. They will be held at: Jacksonville, Joliet, Pana, Peoria, Salem, Sterling, Urbana and West Frankfort.

## Local Baptist Quintet Defeated Sterling Five

The Dixon B. Y. P. U. basketball team got sweet revenge on the Sterling society's squad in their game played at the Y. M. C. A. gym in this city Saturday evening, score 23 to 17. The game was a hot one and gave the good crowd of fans some interesting moments. At the half the score stood 9 all, but Dixon commenced to forge ahead after the rest period, having a lead of 15 to 11 at the third quarter.

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## Flashes of Life

**BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
Magnolia, Miss.—The town has been purified by fire. Cards, dice and questionable literature and pictures were tossed by 1,500 citizens into a community bon fire.

New York—"Don't come to New

York to look for a job unless you have at least \$100", advises the National Council of the Y. M. C. A., and job seekers also might note the conclusions of the National Industrial Conference Board as to comparative pay of white collar workers. It has found in a survey of 18 cities that office help averages \$2 a week less than factory workers.

Geneva.—Refusal of the League of Nations to continue Miss Florence Wilson of New York as librarian, has stirred the international women's organizations. A committee protested that it was discriminating against American women and that the League covenant provided that all positions should be open equally to both sexes.

Long Beach, Calif.—If to increase the trouble of big leagues next season, there is a shortage of balls, it might be possible to requisition some from boys hereabouts. They are storming theaters to get Babe Ruth's autograph balls. He gives away dozens daily at theaters here.

New York—Music is being used at St. Mark's hospital to help adults to whom ether cannot be given for operations. The music comes by wire to ear phones from a machine in another room so that the surgeon does not hear it.

## Brief Summary of Last Night's News

**BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
Representative Gallivan, Massachusetts, makes public resolution to be introduced in house proposing inquiry into Mexican situation.

Officials of Harvard-Princeton football games dispute "dirty football" charges of W. D. Hubbard, former Harvard star.

Ohio river overflow inundates Pomeroy, Marietta, and other Ohio towns; Louisville waterfront inhabitants ready to evacuate; stream rises 30 feet in some places.

Rumanian circles in Paris hear King Ferdinand will abdicate in few weeks in favor of Prince Carol.

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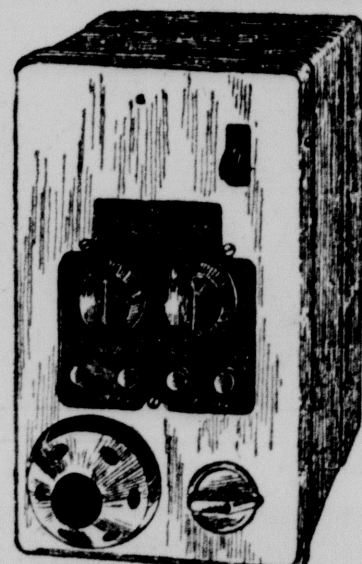
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## In Congress Today

**BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
Naval appropriation bill is before the Senate.

Senate also approaches vote on Cyrus E. Woods' nomination. Democratic house fight begins to unlock committee-bound tax reduction proposals.

## Polo Personals

Polo—B. F. Duffey of Hazelhurst was a Polo business' caller Saturday. Postmaster A. W. Tavenner returned home Saturday from the Dixon

hospital where he had been a patient for several days.

Albert Hopkins transacted business in Chicago Friday.

Mrs. Lois Reedy was operated on for appendicitis at a Freeport hospital Friday.

Mrs. Charles Wolf was operated on for appendicitis at a Freeport hospital Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Cavanaugh was home from DeKalb over the week end.

Class, No. 8 of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Ruth Lang, Friday, Mrs. Jessie Mon being the assistant hostess. Those present besides the teacher Mrs. Anna Moats were: Anna Graevenstein, Verona Kreibel, Mary Holly, Mabelle Adams, Blanche Ackerson, Bertha Kendall of Oregon, Martha Lang of Dixon and Mary Lang, the latter three being guests. The regular business meeting was held after which delicious refreshments were served.

James Reynolds of Dixon was a business caller here Saturday. Lee Avey of Mt. Morris was a business caller here Friday.

John Donovan of Dixon was a business visitor here Friday.

Mrs. John Neck of Winona, Minn.

came Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Maria Klock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dick spent Friday in the Henry Maes home—K.

## Former Private Gave Orders to General Pershing

Lincoln, Neb.—(AP)—General John J. Pershing has taken "orders" from a former private.

The story has just been told here. While hunting at Red Deer ranch, Cherry county, Neb., this fall, as the guest of Mark W. and George J. Woods, Lincoln capitalists, "Black Jack" Pershing saw a flock of ducks on some land nearby. The owner of the land protested against the party's trespassing.

"I want those ducks for myself and there's not many o' them," the old plainsman asserted.

"Well, we just wanted to shoot a couple," said Mark Woods. "This is General Pershing with us and he wants to try his aim. It was pretty good in the old days and he thinks it still is."

"You mean that is 'Black Jack' Pershing?" asked the rancher. "Well shake hands with your old private that used to peel potatoes for you. You may not remember me but I fought with you in the Sioux Indian campaign. I was buck private in the Seventh cavalry at Fort Niobrara (near Red Deer ranch)."

General Pershing and the Woods brothers thus were invited to shoot as many of the birds as they desired.

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Children's and Misses' Wool, Velvet and Jersey Dresses—Values \$4.00 to \$8.75, January Clearance—\$2.75, \$4.75 and \$6.75

27-Inch All Wool Figured Challies—\$1.25 value. January Clearance, yard 95c

31-Inch Plain Color Corduroy—\$1 value. January Clearance, yd. 79c

36-Inch Wool Batiste and Wool Serges—Values to \$1.50. January Clearance, yard \$1.00

54-Inch Fancy Wool Suitings—Values to \$3.50. January Clearance \$1.95

9x12 Room Size Ingrain and Grass Rugs. Values to \$12.50. January Clearance \$7.75

27x54-Inch Brussels and Kimlark Fibre Rugs—Values \$3.50 to \$6.00. January Clearance—\$2.75 and \$3.95

8-3x10-6 and 9x12 Extra Quality Tapestry Brussels Rugs and Kimlark Rugs—January Clearance \$18.75

Ruffled Curtains and Fringed Curtains—Values to \$2 pair—January Clearance—Fringed, each \$1.00 Ruffled, pair \$1.00

Curtain Nets—Values to 45c to \$2.00 yard. January Clearance—28c, 45c, 65c and 95c yard

Cretonnes—Light, Dark and Medium colorings—Values 20c to 50c yard. January Clearance—15c, 20c and 28c yard

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Grenadines and Marquisetts—Values 20c to 50c yard. January Clearance—15c, 20c and 28c yard

36-Inch Black Sateen—Good quality. January Clearance, yd. 25c

27-Inch White Shaker Flannel—January Clearance, yard 12c

Extra Size Part Wool and Cotton Bed Blankets—Assorted colors and plaids. Values to \$6.00. January Clearance \$4.69

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Children's and Women's Vests, Pants and Union Suits—Odd and broken assortments. Values to \$1.25. January Clearance 50c

Women's Wool Union Suits—Odd lots. Values to \$3.50. January Clearance \$1.75

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**SYNOPSIS**  
John Ballard, left poor by the same unkind Fate that deprived him of his parents—father in a railroad accident, mother of grief—works his way through college. He helps Phil Hardin win a diploma also. Phil is son of the President of the road against which John cherishes a vendetta for his father's death. Through Phil, John meets and loves Viola Ruskin. In a brawl, John protects Phil. A man is killed. Both think John did it, and pledge secrecy. After graduation, Phil returns to their home town, and easy ways. John wins a law degree in New York; then also goes home.

**CHAPTER III—Continued**  
So John went back to Ventnor. The town was not without importance. It was the seat of a number of thriving mills; it was the city that housed the home offices of the N. Y. and V. C. R. R. It was growing in wealth and population year by year. And it was in the grip of a political ring upon which good citizens were looking with less favor each year. It seemed to John that if any city in the state offered an opportunity to a young lawyer eager to put the public interest above his own, it was Ventnor.

He was not discouraged by the failure of his modest sign to attract clients. It took time to bring business; he knew that. But it would come. He had something to offer Ventnor; in time Ventnor would find that out, he hoped. He did more than hope, indeed; he was certain.

And, very slowly, very gradually, his faith was justified. Clients did come, though they were few and far between at first. Their cases, in those early days, came to little. They offered him little fame and almost as little cash. But he did well with them; when he won his first case, one in which a woman had sued the street railway company for injuries caused by a motorman's carelessness, he was, though he did not at first realize it, a marked man.

Great corporations watch young lawyers with much interest. Corporations, especially, that stand in constant danger of being sued. Railways, other organizations in direct contact with the public—these maintain their own staffs of skilled and well paid lawyers. But they like to be able to call upon outside talent when there is occasion. They are willing, often, to pay a young man a handsome income every year just to be at their call should they have need of those services—and it is surprising to find how seldom they exercise the rights for which they have paid, and paid handsomely.

John was to learn this. Within a week of the day when he won that first case he received an offer of a yearly retainer of a thousand dollars from the street railway company. He refused it. The offer was doubled; he refused that. A great lawyer came to see him; Mr. Hambridge, who was chief counsel in Ventnor for the street railway. "Why don't you want our retainer, Mr. Ballard?" he asked. "I think I can make more appearing against you than for you," said John. "I'm being frank."

"I should say you were!" said Mr. Hambridge, with a laugh. "But you're wrong, I'll prove it. You don't want a retainer. Very well. How would you like to join our regular staff? At—well, say at five thousand a year, to begin with?" "I think I won't, thanks," said John.

alive, would be different from yours, sir," he said, quietly. "He would want me to do just what I propose to do. That is to stay here, in my own office, free to serve any client who comes to me."

"I see," said the other. "I think there is nothing more for me to say. Except—well, I'd like to shake hands with you, my young friend. I wish I could afford to be as free as you!"

Somehow that story got out. It reached the ears of other lawyers; it penetrated into a great many corners of Ventnor. It brought John some business, directly; indirectly it brought him a great deal more, and hastened, appreciably, in all probability, the coming of the day that should see him launched at last upon the career in politics that was his real ambition. It reached, in the end, the ears of James Hardin, who told it at his own dinner table. Two of those who heard it were Phil Hardin and Henry Jordan.

"We need that young man," said Jordan. "What's his name? Ballard?"

"John Ballard, sir—yes," said Phil. "You've met him, Mr. Jordan. He was in my class at Newton. I'm almost sure you met him in my room."

"I remember," said Jordan. "Hardin—that's a dangerous young man. He should be in our employ. Hambridge didn't go high enough, of course—that was his mistake. Every man has his price. I want John Ballard to be in the legal department of the N. Y. and V. C. R. R."

And Jordan sat, his head thrust forward. It was a way he had when he gave an order—and he was perfectly capable of giving his orders at the dinner table or anywhere else. He cared very little for the fact that James Hardin was the titular head of the N. Y. and V. C. R. R. He, Henry Jordan, was the boss, and he cared very little who knew it, or how insultingly he made the fact known.

"You know young Ballard, Phil, of course," said Mr. Hardin. "Suppose you talk to him. Offer him—well—I hardly know what to say—'Go to twenty thousand,' said Jordan. "I have a curious feeling about that young man. I want him where we can keep our eyes on him."

"I'll try," said Phil, with a laugh. "I don't know that I've much influence, though. I haven't seen him much since we got through college."

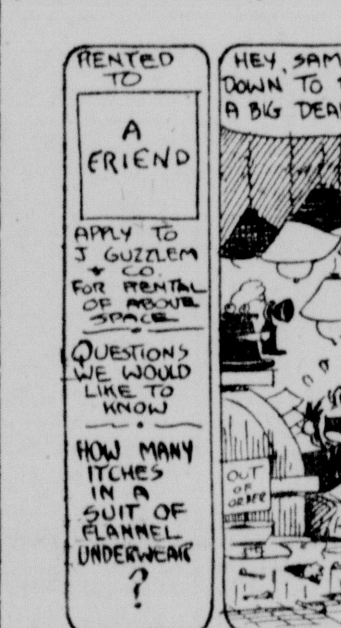
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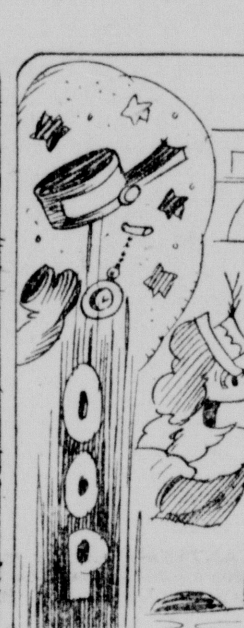
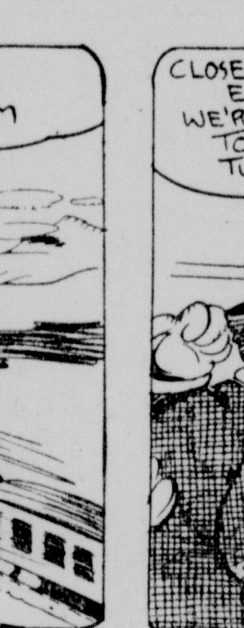
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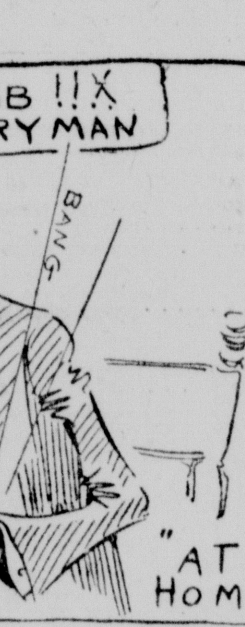


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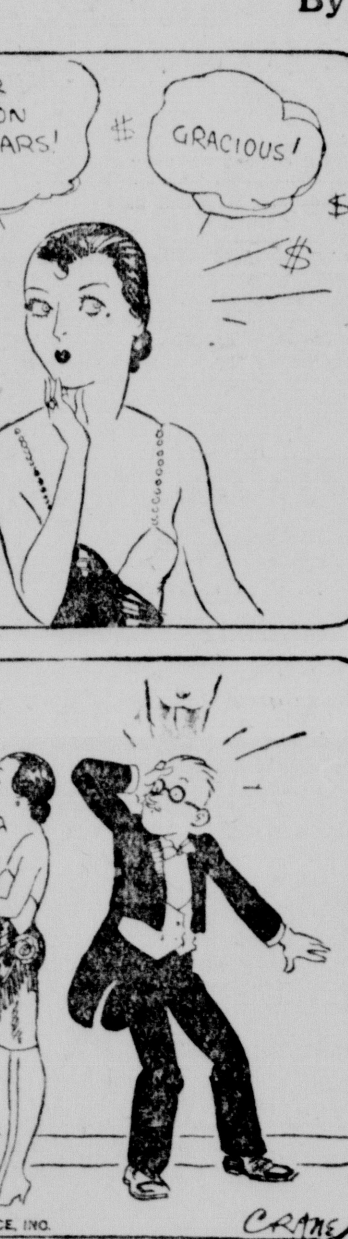
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## By Crane

**Shenandoah Bank Head is Acquitted of Robbing It**  
Clarinda, Ia., Jan. 22.—(AP)—Elbert A. Read, former vice president of the closed First National Bank of Shenandoah was found not guilty of a charge of breaking and entering the bank by a jury in district court today.

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FOR SALE—Pure-bred Barred Rock  
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\$2, \$2.50 and \$3 each, while they last.  
Nellie Cahill, Amboy, Ill. Tel. Walton  
6112

FOR SALE—Ford Coach, fine me-  
chanical condition, new paint,  
Chandler open, fine condition. Stru-  
dwick Sales & Service, Countryman  
& Johnson. 717

FOR SALE—Special sale on 31x5.25  
Groover A. W. and Ganges, bal-  
loons, \$18.50. H. A. Mangos, Phone  
448.

FOR SALE—Headquarters for Radio  
batteries, flash light batteries, hot  
shots and dry cells. Kline's Auto  
Supply. 2771f

FOR SALE—Chicks, best grade from  
state accredited and blood tested  
flocks—Barred Rocks, R. I. Reds,  
Black Minorcas, \$15; White and Buff  
Rocks, \$16; White Wyandottes, Buff  
Orpingtons, \$17; Anconas White,  
Brown and Buff Leghorns Anconas,  
\$14. Reduction on larger orders.  
100% live delivery. Postage prepaid.  
Elmer's Accredited Hatchery, Am-  
boy, Ill. 1516

FOR SALE—Second-hand furniture  
bought, sold and exchanged. 113  
Pearla Ave., Phone 296, H. D. Freed  
& Co. 1516

FOR SALE—New and used player  
pianos at cut prices. Call and see  
them. Theo. J. Miller & Sons. 1517

FOR SALE—Strictly fresh eggs, 38c  
per doz. 85 Hennepin Ave., Phone  
1079.

FOR SALE—For Rent and For Sale  
cards at the B. F. Shaw Printing Co.  
1517

FOR SALE—At closing-out prices.  
Radiators, Shutters, Heaters and  
Wood Tire Chains. F. G. Eno, Buick  
Sales and Service, Dixon, Ill. 1613

FOR SALE—Nurses record sheets.  
B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon,  
Ill. 1517

FOR SALE—5-tube Radio complete.  
Ready to install, only \$69.50. We  
only have 5 at this price. Kennedy  
Music Co. 1617

FOR SALE—1 ton International  
truck, in good condition, 1 Buick  
touring, Nash Garage, 90 Ottawa  
Ave., Tel. 201. 1717

FOR SALE—3-4 passenger Oldsmo-  
bile Coupe, excellent in every way.  
If you are interested see this car be-  
fore you buy. Murray Auto Co., Tel.  
100. 1717

FOR SALE—Special, 45 V Radio B.  
batteries N772, \$2.95. Grow Auto  
Parts Co. 2831f

FOR SALE—For durability and com-  
fort use Mohawk tires. Better be-  
cause they are better. Shaver's Tire Shop.  
1717

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island  
Red Cockerels. Clyde Speck  
Franklin Grove, Ill., Phone 67. 1713

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-passenger  
Paige touring, good mechanical con-  
dition. Address "52" in care Telegraph.  
1713

FOR SALE—Bulls, Grade Short-  
horn, about a year old; 1 two years;  
also some feeding steers. Priced rea-  
sonable. Herd certified. Will deliv-  
er to your place. Will Fitzpatrick.  
1613

FOR SALE—Chevrolet ton truck, ex-  
tra wide panel body, run 5000 miles.  
Will take small 1/2 ton truck in trade.  
Pine Grove Store, Rock Falls, Ill.,  
1011 First Ave., Phone 1010W. 1813

FOR SALE—Almost everything can  
be had at Greenfield's New and Sec-  
ond-Hand Store, 215 W. First St.  
2951f

FOR SALE—Order now. Plant early.  
Peonies—red, white, pink, 3 for \$1;  
3 year old Roses, monthly bloomers,  
all colors, 2 for \$1; gorgeous Gladioli,  
all colors, all different, 12 for \$1;  
giant Dahlias, all different, 12 for \$1;  
Cannas, the new kind, low growing  
giant, blooming, 12 for \$1; German  
iris, in mixture, all the best sorts,  
12 for \$1. The six collections for  
\$5. Post paid. Send for latest list.  
P. S. Birch, Laurel Spring, N. J.  
Jan 22 to Apr 22

FOR SALE—Furniture, rugs, stoves,  
clothing bought and sold; stoves re-  
pairs. Time payments. Highest cash  
prices paid for anything you have.  
Hennepin Second-Hand Store, First  
and Hennepin, basement. Phone  
3808.

FOR SALE—We have an equity in  
a group of lots in Rockford, Illi-  
nois. Will consider a trade for an  
equity in a house or small farm near  
Dixon. Call in person or write to us.  
H. W. Herron, 607 Forest City Bank  
Bldg., Rockford, Ill. 1916

FOR SALE—Bob sled in good condi-  
tion. Phone K1204 or call at 829  
N. Dixon. 1913

FOR SALE—Practically new bed  
room suite, also gas range. Leav-  
ing town so must sell at once. Call  
after 5 p. m. or at noon at K1216.  
Address, 315 Monroe Ave. 1913

FOR SALE—Dodge roadster.  
Dodge touring with winter en-  
closure.  
Ford sedan.  
Chevrolet truck.  
Reo truck.  
CLARENCE HECKMAN.  
Dodge agency. Open evenings. 1917

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—High-class music rolls,  
all late hits, 50c. We allow 5c for  
any old discarded roll, making a new  
one cost but 50c. Why pay more?  
Strong Music-Duplicate. 1417

FOR SALE—Duplicate Bridge scores.  
Sent by mail 1 1/2 cents each. B. F.  
Shaw Printing Co. 1517

FOR SALE—1926 Ford Coupe, equipped  
with wire wheels, spare tire, bumpers  
and heater, cannot be told from new  
car. 1925 Ford Coupe reconditioned  
and refinished.

1926 Chevrolet Coach.  
Ford ton truck, cab and body.  
Oldsmobile ton truck, perfect me-  
chanical condition.

J. L. GLASSBURN,  
Chevrolet Sales and Service,  
Opposite Postoffice. Phone 509  
1817

FOR SALE—White enameled bed-  
room suite, walnut bed, large mis-  
sion clock. Phone 1071. 1813

FOR SALE—Quality used cars. Our  
selection is complete and our prices  
are right. Cash, trade or terms. F.  
G. Eno, Buick Sales and Service, Dix-  
on, Ill. 1917

FOR SALE—3 Buick tourings, 2  
Buick closed cars, 2 Studebaker  
Standard coaches. F. G. Eno, Buick  
Sales & Service, Dixon, Ill. 1917

FOR SALE—Cobs at \$2.50 a load.  
Phone U12. 1913

FOR SALE—Strictly Pure Buck-  
wheat Flour, Jas. P. Manges. 1913

FOR SALE—Library table. Call  
phone M1041. 1517

## WANTED

WANTED—Roomers. If so why not  
buy a "Rooms For Rent" Card at  
our office. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.  
1517

WANTED—Trucking of all kinds, also  
city and long distance moving. Prices  
right. A. Burmeister, Phone X728. 1817

Dixon Business Men and Chicago  
express themselves as highly  
pleased with the artistic  
Up-to-Date Printing  
of Letter Heads, Circulars,  
Cards, Etc., turned out by  
B. F. Shaw Printing Co.,  
Dixon, Ill. 1517

WANTED—Our subscribers to know  
of our Accident Insurance Policy.  
For one dollar you may receive a one  
thousand dollar accident insurance  
policy. Today you may be alive and  
well, tomorrow you may go for an  
auto trip and be killed. If you had  
one of our policies in the case of death  
your family would get \$1000. If you  
lose a leg or arm or eye you would get  
\$500. If you were injured for 13  
weeks you would get \$10 a week. We  
recently paid a Dixon lady who was  
in an auto accident \$130. She paid  
but one dollar for her policy with the  
Dixon Evening Telegraph. 1517

WANTED—Your old pieces of furni-  
ture to be refinished. H. B. Fuller,  
512 N. Galena Ave., Phone X948. 1517

WANTED—Rugs to clean. All kinds  
of furniture refinished and repaired.  
J. E. Ropp, Tel. 78. 133 East  
First St. 2609

WANTED—Evening Telegraph sub-  
scribers to know that they can re-  
new magazine subscriptions in con-  
nection with their Telegraph. 1517

WANTED—Get our price on automo-  
bile repairing, machine work,  
cylinder grinding and brake relining.  
Dixon Machine Works, Phone 263  
2841f

WANTED—Local and long distance  
hauling. All goods insured in trans-  
it. Jay Atkins, Transfer. Phone  
K 1103. 1917

WANTED—Sheet Metal and furnace  
repairing. Quick service. Satisfac-  
tion guaranteed. E. J. Nicklaus, 223  
W. First (Basement). Tel. K793. 1917

WANTED—General repairing. Locks  
repaired and keys duplicated. Sew-  
ing machines, phonographs, umbrellas,  
bicycles, radios and guns repaired. Go  
cars retired. General Repair Shop,  
115 Hennepin Ave. 2917

WANTED—Shoes to repair. Experi-  
enced. Guaranteed workmanship.  
Dixon Shoe Hospital, Harry Read,  
Basement, Hooper Ave. and First St.  
2917

WANTED—Rocking chairs and rugs.  
Square Deal Second-Hand Store,  
609 W. Third St., Tel. X1348. Open  
nights. 1317

WANTED—Hauling of all kinds.  
Prompt service and reasonable rates.  
G. Keeslar, Jr., Phone B1193. 2751f

WANTED—Short and long distance  
hauling. Prices reasonable. D. G.  
Moore, Phone 736 or Residence 49111.  
2751f

WANTED—Any kind of nickel, cop-  
per, brass and silver plating work.  
Rusch's Electrical Shop, 504 Depot  
Ave., Phone 263. 2831f

WANTED—See the fun of being a  
Beauty Operator. Get the story.  
Write Moler College, 512 N. State,  
Chicago. 1816

WANTED—Old false teeth. We pay  
as high as \$10 for full sets. Don't  
matter if broken. Gold jewelry,  
crowns, bridges. Western Metal  
Company, Bloomington, Ill. 1917

## WANTED

WANTED—Be a barber. See the fun  
of ringing your own cash register.  
Moler Barber College, 512 N. State,  
Chicago. 1816

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Desirable close in apart-  
ment, 4 rooms and bath. Garage.  
Heat furnished. Immediate posses-  
sion. E. M. Graybill. 1517

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms in  
downtown building. Apply at Ev-  
ening Telegraph office. 1517

FOR RENT—Pleasant front room in  
modern home, close in. Phone X943.  
315 E. Second St. 1817

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, in  
modern home. Heat, light and wa-  
ter furnished. Private bath. Phone  
K781. Two garages for rent. 1713

FOR RENT—In modern home, sleep-  
ing rooms or light housekeeping if  
desired. Close in on north side. Tel.  
K275, or call, 111 W. Boyd St. 1713

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for  
light housekeeping on first floor.  
Inquire, 410 S. Hennepin Ave. 1713

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house.  
Enquire at 520 College Ave., Tel.  
X1244. 1813

FOR RENT—Modern garage, 3 blocks  
east of postoffice. Call B1296. 1913

FOR RENT—2 or 3 rooms for light-  
housekeeping in modern home.  
Phone K764. 1913

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Help. Opportunity for  
man or woman in shoe factory.  
Pleasant work, Reynolds's Wire Mill and  
Cement Mill. Easy, pleasant spare  
time work. Box 446, Amboy, Ill. 1614

WANTED—Competent girl for gen-  
eral housework. Phone R529. 1813

## SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Automobile salesman.  
Good wages, plenty of chance for  
advancement for a good honest en-  
ergetic man. Address letter, "B. H. T."  
care of Dixon Telegraph. 1817

WANTED—Opportunity to men who  
like sales work, and who can fol-  
low instructions. References neces-  
sary. About \$28.50 week to start.  
Write C. H. Sandehm, Sales Mgr., Real  
Silk Hosiery Mills, 502 Tarbox Bldg.,  
Freeport, Ill. 1816

## LOST

LOST—Thoroughbred Collie dog. Tel.  
46200. 1813

LOST—A Weed chain, 30.5x7.7 in. Dix-  
on. Finder please Phone Y1175. 1813

LOST—Gold watch with initials "J.  
M. M." on back, between 1 N. U. and  
405 N. Galena. Finder return to  
Telegraph and receive reward. 1913

LOST—Pearl Necklace, sometime  
Friday or Saturday. Finder please  
notify Mrs. Fred Hines or phone  
44120 and receive reward. 1813

## FOUND

FOUND—Place where you can get a  
plain wool dress, plain wool coat,  
wool overcoat or men's suits cleaned  
and pressed for \$1.25 each. Our work  
is first-class. Quality Service Bon  
Ton Cleaners, 117 1/2 First St., Phone  
1015. 3041f

FOUND—Taxis which carry you safe-  
ly to your destination in any part  
of city. Yellow Taxi Co. 617

FOUND—Quality Service and the  
Best in Dixon. The Dixon Cleaners,  
207 First St., Phone 323. 917

## MISCELLANEOUS

CHICKENS—Keep well chickens well.  
Healthy chickens lay more eggs. Use  
Mother Vance's Chicken Remedy. Sold  
everywhere. 2917

SPECIAL RATES BY THE MONTH  
—rooms with and without bath dur-  
ing the winter. Sensible priced cafe in  
connection. The hotel with a home-  
like atmosphere. Hotel Dixon. 307126

HEAT YOUR HOME  
THE NIGHTGALE  
WAY!  
WHY?  
IT IS  
CLEANER,  
SAFER,  
CHEAPER,  
EVEN HEAT,  
NO WORK. 3041f

BATTERY HEADQUARTERS—All  
batteries recharged, rebuilt and  
warranted. Chester Barrage, Dixon Bat-  
tery Shop, Phone X659 or 7473. 717

GENERAL AUTO REPAIR WORK.  
Bunnell's Electric Garage, 1/2 block  
north of bridge. 1417

YOUR CAR CLEANED INSIDE AND  
outside by experts. Quick service.  
Phone 1000 for appointment. New-  
man Bros, Riverview Garage. 1917

## INSTRUCTIONS

J. W. JOHNSTON, HIGH GRADE  
Instructor voice and piano, Tuesday  
and Thursday, third floor Dixon  
Trust & Savings Bank Bldg. 1816

## Money To Loan

MONEY TO LOAN—On automobiles,  
household goods, pianos, horses, cat-  
tle, farm machinery, either straight  
loan or small monthly payments. Will  
be in office evenings and all day Sat-  
urdays. C. B. Swartz, over Campbell's  
drug store. 1601f

LOANS—On farms at 5% prepay-  
ment privilege of one hundred dol-  
lars. Keyes-Bills Realty Co., Dixon  
Theatre Bldg. 2831f

\$10 TO \$300 LOANED ON HOUSE-  
hold goods and other personal prop-  
erty. Write or Phone K519. Dixon  
Loan & Investment Co., 803 Brinton  
Ave. 29126

WANTED—Old false teeth. We pay  
as high as \$10 for full sets. Don't  
matter if broken. Gold jewelry,  
crowns, bridges. Western Metal  
Company, Bloomington, Ill. 1917

# Broken Threads

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NEA SERVICE INC.

## CHAPTER XLVIII

"I BEGAN to realize for the first  
time," Jim Elwell continued,  
"that I had acted the part of  
a selfish, thoughtless cad in marry-  
ing you the way I did, Betty, and  
asking you to keep it secret. I  
wasn't fair to you, even if you had  
come into a fortune, for neither a  
you girls had ever gone around with  
any fellows—except Dick Canfield  
and me—and I had no right to tie  
you up the way I did. Dick did the  
honorable thing. Dick naturally  
would."

"The upshot of the matter was  
that I told Mollie and Prof the whole  
truth—that is, all except which girl  
it was I had married. That the  
didn't know until just a few minute  
ago when Betty told them."

"We talked the thing over and de-  
cided it was only right and fair to  
give you your chance, Betty—you  
know, a chance to get free. Knowing  
you pretty well, we felt reasonably  
sure that you wouldn't take the  
chance if it was offered to you in the  
ordinary way—that is, to give you a  
divorce."

He paused a moment while he  
patted Betty's arm. "So we decided  
to let you go on believing me bug  
house for a while—six months at  
least. You were to have your fling  
—to go to Europe and mix with  
other men and if you found one—the  
right one—then I would have made  
it easy for you to get your freedom.  
And that's why Mollie wrote you to  
tell you to go ahead with your Eu-  
ropean trip and forget about me  
But—"

"But—I fooled you, didn't I, Mister  
Felix? Now you've got to go to Eu-  
rope with your little wife and if she  
catches you flirting with any pretty  
nurses—war nurses, I mean—well,  
it won't be very healthy for you."

Jim leaned back and smiled con-  
tentedly, blissfully unaware of the  
fact that during a certain period of  
his "living death" his actions had  
really given his mother-in-law for  
great anxiety and would have wor-  
ried his wife considerably if she had  
known more about them."

"Just the same, Jim," Martha Dal-  
ton spoke reprovingly, "I think it  
was a mean trick to play on the  
girls. If you had seen these girls to-  
night when they were waiting for  
you to get home—honestly, I thought  
they would be nervous wrecks, both  
of them."

"And then, too," she added, "keep-  
ing this good news away from them  
for all these weeks, when they just  
as well could have known and been  
happy instead of heartbroken. Jim,  
I think you've been cruel."

Martha Dalton spoke as if she was  
mad. Jim "look it" smilingly.  
When she had finished he said,  
"Can't help it, old dear, but that's  
just the way I felt about it. I had  
no business tying Betty up with a  
marriage and then going away to  
war and expecting her to shut her  
eyes every time she saw another  
man. And now since she's become an  
heiress she must have to use a guard  
to keep the men away."

"All I need," remarked Betty hu-  
morously, "is Rusty's slipper. Eh,  
Margaret?"

"I didn't get that," said Jim, "but  
I'll find out later. I hope you girls  
forgive me for playing this little  
trick. Do you?"

"And you, Martha?"  
"Well, just this once, Jim. But  
please don't ever—honestly, you al-  
most broke my poor old heart."

"That wasn't the only stubborn  
thing he did," remarked Mollie El-  
well. "Imagine going away to war  
and asking me not to try to find out  
which of the girls he was in love  
with. He was afraid, mind you, that  
if I knew which one it was I would  
favor her at the expense of the other  
in case he died overseas. Now, can  
you imagine any boy of mine being  
as misguided as all that?"

"And can you imagine him being  
as misguided as to think that I would  
desert him?" demanded Betty.

"Let the boy alone," said Prof. "I  
won't have you women picking on  
him like that. There are a few  
things about us men they'll never  
understand—eh, Jim?"

"That was true, Jim smiled.  
"You mustn't blame Mollie," he  
said to Martha, "for what she said  
in her letter. If you'll remember,  
what she said was this: that there  
wasn't one chance in a thousand  
that I'd ever be any better mentally.  
Well, the chances are I won't. So  
there weren't any lies in the letters.  
I thought I could play possum until  
the twins had gone to Europe, and  
then if Betty hadn't found a man by  
the time she came back I could try  
all over again with her myself."

And so, said Jim, there they were,  
faithful performance of his contract.  
Parties making bids accept the  
terms hereby mentioned.

No bids will be considered unless  
they are accompanied by a cer-  
tified check on some national bank or  
United States Bank for as much as 10%  
of the estimated amount of said contract  
payable to said district and to be held  
as guarantee of good faith until said  
bid is rejected or has been accepted  
and a contract entered into in pursu-  
ance thereof.

The said commissioners reserve the  
right to reject any and all bids.  
W. F. OLSON,  
C. C. WINKEL and  
WM. FAGAN  
Commissioners of said district.  
Attest John L. Porter, Clerk. 16129

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
Estate of Hazel Forrest, deceased.  
The undersigned, having been ap-  
pointed administrator of the estate of  
Hazel Forrest, deceased hereby gives  
notice that he will appear before the  
County Court of Lee County, at the  
Court House in Dixon, at the March  
term, on the first Monday in March  
next, at which time all persons hav-  
ing claims against said estate are to  
present and request to attend for the  
purpose of having the same adjusted.  
All persons indebted to said estate  
are requested to make immediate pay-  
ment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of January, A.  
D. 1927. HUBERT E. FORREST,  
Administrator.  
Mark C. Keller, Attorney for Ad-  
ministrator. Jan 17-24-27

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.  
Estate of Joseph C. Kirscher, de-  
ceased.  
The undersigned, having been ap-  
pointed Administrator with will an-  
nexed of the estate of Joseph C.  
Kirscher, deceased, hereby gives no-  
tice that she will appear before the  
County Court of Lee County, at the  
Court House in Dixon, at the March  
term, on the first Monday in March  
next, at which time all persons hav-  
ing claims against said estate are to  
present and request to attend for the  
purpose of having the same adjusted.  
All persons indebted to said estate  
are requested to make immediate pay-  
ment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of January,  
A. D. 1927. ANNE R. KIRSCHER,  
Administratrix with Will  
Annexed.  
John P. Devine, Attorney. Jan 17-24-31-27

LEGAL NOTICE.  
Public notice is hereby given, that  
the drainage commissioners of Drain-  
age District Number One of the Town  
of Harmon in Lee County in the State  
of Illinois will receive bids, under  
seal, up to noon of the 15th day of  
February, A. D. 1927, at the office  
of their clerk, John L. Porter, at his  
residence in the Town of Harmon,  
for the excavation of material from  
the main ditch estimated to be 62,500  
cubic yards and from its Smallwood  
Lateral, estimated to be 5,500 cubic  
yards (including necessary clearing  
and from its Emmitt Lateral, esti-  
mated to be 7,500 cubic yards (including  
necessary clearing).  
Plans and specifications of such  
work, together with the blank forms  
of contract and bond to be executed  
in connection therewith, may be seen  
at the said office of said clerk.

The successful bidder will be re-  
quired to make and enter into a writ-  
ten contract with said district within  
twenty days after the acceptance of  
his bid and on the form heretofore  
referred to. He will be required also  
to execute a bond payable to said dis-  
trict and in a penal sum in double  
the amount of said contract computed  
upon the estimated amount of excava-  
tion to be done to secure the full an-



"I didn't get that, but I'll find out later."

Nothing more to tell, and mighty  
sorry if he had upset them. "But  
all's well that ends well, you know,  
and besides, it wasn't as if we'd gone  
out of our way to make you suffer.  
You never really expected to see me  
come home well again."

They were interrupted by the ring-  
ing of the telephone. Prof jumped  
up to answer it. He came back, after  
a long while, to tell them that John  
Clayton had called up.

"He got Mike's telegram, and he  
said



# At Sea

## WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

A tragedy is impending at Ocean Town, N. J., where thousands of bathers have gathered for a holiday. The reader is introduced to NED BARRON, the copper king, and his wife, MADELINE; ANGELICA FAIR and her fiancé, ROBIN SEARS; Robin's father, CRODDON SEARS; CARMELITA VALDON and her companions, ROGER NEVILLE, GARRETT FOLSON and MRS. BARNABY, whom everyone calls TIE DUCHESS.

### CHAPTER 1-A

THE Duchess coughed and sputtered, but gamely held her ground. Carmelita took advantage of her friend's bewilderment to slip from her place on the rope, and exchange with the Duchess, thus bringing herself next to Folson, a position she had coveted from the first.

Far out, beyond the rough and tumble of the breakers, the two expert swimmers sat on an anchored raft.

"You're a marvel, Robin," the girl said. "I'm glad fate sent me a life mate who loves swimming. I believe you could swim all the way across!"

"Probably not," returned Robin Sears. "But I'd get as far as the next fellow, I'll bet on that! And too, Angel, endurance isn't the only test."

"No, but you'd pass all the rest, too. You can swim every way, can't you?"

"You can learn. I'll teach you. But no more today. You're a bit winded, and we must be getting back, or we'll be late for lunch."

Diving gracefully, Angelica came up beside Robin, and with long, capable strokes they made for the shore.

"There they are—I see Maddy's cap!" the girl cried as they came nearer the lines of rope clingers. "Let's go there."

Assisted by a friendly wave, they reached their goal and scrambled to their feet, seeking a vacant space on the rope. But it was crowded, so they laughingly moved over toward the next rope.

"Better go in now," Ned Barron called to them, and a wave of her hand told him that Angelica had heard and would obey.

"Wonderful swimmers, your two young friends," said a voice next him, and Barron turned to see a stranger smiling at him.

"Yes," he replied, a little curtly, for he had a deeply rooted aversion to making friends in the ocean.

But the friendly stranger wouldn't accept rebuff, and went on, affably.

"Haven't been here for some years. Quite a lot of change. Mostly in the women's bathing suits—for the better, of course." The speech grated on Ned Barron's taste, but the voice was cultured and the man's appearance both civil and correct.

A clubman and a gay one, Barron sized him up at once.

"From the west?" Barron said, with more perspicacity than tact.

"Yep. That is, Chicago. You alone?"

As he spoke, he leaned forward to see Barron's next neighbor. It was his wife, Madeline, and Ned leaned his own big body forward to intercept the stranger's regard.

"No, not alone, my wife is with me," he said, and perhaps no such short sentence ever carried greater weight of advice.

The curtness of the speech, com-



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bined with a direct glance straight into the other man's eyes, carried understanding, challenge and a note of warning that was unmistakable and definite. Only a dumb brain would have failed to grasp Ned Barron's intent, and Garrett Folson's brain was anything but dumb.

"Where's Roger?" he asked, turning back to his own party, who were at his right hand.

"There he is," and Carmelita Valdon glanced admiringly at Neville, swimming with long, clean strokes toward them. "I know you're just dying to swim away, Mr. Folson. Go ahead, if you like. I'll stand guard over the Duchess."

A smile of gratitude thanked her for this, and Folson let go the rope and swam into an oncoming wave.

But he quickly returned. "It's too hard on me," he exclaimed, laughing, while he puffed and panted for breath. "I must get used to it by degrees. I'm not as well in condition as I ought to be."

She had saved his place on the rope for him, and he slipped in between her and Barron again.

"Who's this chap on my left?" he said to her. "Do you know?"

"I know him slightly, yes. He's a Mr. Barron, from New York, I think—or near New York. Why?"

"No reason at all. Idle curiosity. I thought I saw him at our hotel last evening."

"Yes, they're staying there. A party of several. Don't you think we'd better be getting along home now? I've had about enough."

"Yes, let's collect Neville and get out. Who-oo, Roger!"

But no one responded to his summons, and Mrs. Barnaby began to fret.

"Let's go on out, anyway," she said. "That's Roger all over. He always runs clear off. Just when we want him most. Come, Mr. Folson, help me to shore. I'll have to let go the rope, it's so full of bathers this morning. I never saw such a crowd on this beach

before!"

"Oh, yes," Carmelita said, "often and often. But these days just before Fourth of July bring extra hordes of people."

"Wonderful sight!" and once more Garrett Folson gave himself over to admiring it. "I've bathed on nearly every beach in Europe, but none of them can touch this for magnitude."

"Not at all exclusive, though," and the Duchess gave a fastidious little sniff. "All sorts and conditions of men, I call it."

"That's part of its charm," laughed Folson. "I like to rub shoulders with the proletariat, now and then. Especially when I can't tell them from the patricians! And who can, in the ocean?"

Ocean Town was not exclusive. It held out welcoming arms to anybody and everybody who could pay its prices and would behave properly.

But as a spectacle, as an enigma, it invited attention, and with something of the lure of a crossword puzzle, it intrigued the imagination of those who saw it as a form of mental entertainment.

One man in particular never tired of watching the ocean show from the coign of vantage which was his chosen resting spot.

The great Hotel Majusca had, in common with its neighboring hostleries, a large deck, as it was called, the same being an enormous veranda or platform extending partly out over the boardwalk.

Titus Riggs, known to all his own world as Tite, spent his mornings here, in one of the great rockers provided for indolent guests and let his gaze wander idly over the bathers.

Though not at all a hermit, he was not a sociable sort, and seldom made new friends.

His vocation was that of an architect, his avocation to view quietly and unostentatiously his fellow men.

For a holiday, he chose to come down to Ocean Town, where the

architecture was among the worst on earth.

On this Saturday morning Riggs sat in his great rocker slumped down in a somewhat ungainly heap, and watched, aided at times by a pair of field glasses. He was not looking for or expecting anything to happen—anything unusual, that is—he was content just to look at the moving picture spread out before his eyes.

And then, something did happen, or rather, something had happened. As he looked he saw people in the sea, gathering in a huddle at one spot.

He saw one and then another of the life guards stride to the ever-enlarging group, and he saw them fairly fling the bathers aside as they hurried.

Riggs took up his field glasses and saw the guards carry from the crashing waves the helpless form of a man—a large man in a gray bathing suit, and lay their burden down on the beach.

Riggs kept on watching closely. And then another man from the ocean came and bent over the stricken one.

Riggs could hear no word, but he gathered from the look of finality on the face of this man, who made an examination, that the victim of cramp, or whatever the trouble was, was past help.

It was a strange scene. Without doubt the investigating man was a doctor and had pronounced the other man dead. No other hypothesis could explain the helpless, hopeless appearance of those nearest the unconscious man, and no other meaning could be read into the faces of the shocked crowd.

Not often did Tite Riggs give way to curiosity.

But in this instance he rose and went down the steps, crossed the boardwalk and walked out on the beach.

(To Be Continued)

Which of the bathers is dead and how did he die? There are surprises in the chapter ahead.

WBAL Baltimore—Concert.  
WMBB Chicago—Musical.  
WCAU Philadelphia—Musical.  
WLIB Chicago—Concert.  
KDKA Pittsburgh—Sacred concert.  
WLS Chicago—Variety.  
WRNY New York—Musical.  
WLW Cincinnati—Variety.  
CFAD Calgary—Orchestra.  
WQJ Chicago—Concert.  
WJZ New York—Grand opera. Musical.  
To KDKA, WBZ and KYW.  
KFI Los Angeles—Quartet.  
WHIC Hartford, Conn.—Musical.  
WEAF New York—Vikings. To WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WJAR, WTAM, WFL, WCCO, WCAE, WEEL, WOC, WCHS, KSD, WTAG, Jolly Bakers. To WLIB, WSAI, WWJ, WTAM, WFL, WCCO, KSD, WTAG.  
WJR Detroit—Variety.  
KYW Chicago—Musical.  
8:00 P. M.

WBBM Chicago—Musical.  
WDBO Winter Park, Fla.—Musical.  
WBAL Baltimore—Ensemble.  
WMBB Chicago—Musical.  
WHAD Milwaukee—Quartet.  
WQAD Chicago—Musical.  
WCAU Philadelphia—Musical.  
WSM Nashville—Spirituals.  
WEMC Berrien Springs, Mich.—Sacred hour.  
CKCL Toronto—Special program.  
KGO Oakland, Calif.—Concert.  
WLWL New York—Musical.  
WHAS Louisville—Musical.  
WLW Cincinnati—Orchestra.  
WSB Atlanta—Concert.  
KIDS Independence, Mo.—Studio.  
WMAQ Chicago—Variety.  
WJZ New York—Musical.  
KFI Los Angeles—Variety.  
KGW Portland, Ore.—Concert.  
WEAF New York—"Eveready Hour" to WGN, WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WGY, WJAR, WTAM, WFL, WCCO, WCAE, WRC, WEEL, WOC, KSD, WTAG.  
WIP Philadelphia—Musical.  
WHO Des Moines—Orchestra.  
9:00 A. M.

WBBM Chicago—Musical.  
WBAL Baltimore—Band concert.  
WMBB Chicago—Musical.  
WHGB Clearwater, Fla.—Musical.  
WHL Cleveland—Orchestra.  
WORD Chicago—Musical.  
CNRH Regina—Bedtime story; musical.  
WGBS New York—Concert.  
KOA Denver—Instrumental.  
WBZ Springfield, Mass.—Orchestra.  
KFAB Lincoln, Neb.—Musical.  
CKCL Toronto—Musical.  
KGO Oakland, Calif.—Variety.  
WBBH Chicago—Musical.  
KTHS Hot Springs, Ark.—Dance music.

WMBF Miami, Fla.—Orchestra.  
WKRC Cincinnati—Dance program.  
KPO San Francisco—Orchestra.  
WMAQ Chicago—Variety.  
WJZ New York—Variety.  
KFI Los Angeles—Orchestra.  
WEAF New York—Bridge instruction. To WGN, WGR, WSAI, WWJ, WTAM, WFL, WCCO, WCAE, WRC, WEEL, WJAR, WOC, WCHS, KSD, WTAG. Orchestra. To WGR, WWJ, WGY, WTAM, WFL, WCAE, KSD.

## TEMPORARY SCHEDULE

### Effective January 20, 1927

Northern Illinois Service Co. Bus Line					
DIXON TO LA SALLE—Daily and Sunday					
South Bound	A. M.	P. M.	North Bound	A. M.	P. M.
Leave Dixon	7:30	1:35	Leave LaSalle	10:20	4:00
Leave Amboy	8:05	2:10	Leave Peru	10:40	4:20
Leave Sublette	8:25	2:30	Leave Mendota	11:20	5:00
Leave Henkel	8:35	2:40	Leave Henkel	11:35	5:15
Leave Mendota	8:50	2:55	Leave Sublette	11:45	5:25
Leave Peru	9:20	3:25	Leave Amboy	12:05 p.m.	5:45
Arrive LaSalle	9:50	3:55	Arrive Dixon	12:40 p.m.	6:20

No passengers picked up between LaSalle and Peru unless for points north.

No passengers picked up between LaSalle and Peru unless for points north of Peru.

### WAITING ROOMS

Dixon—Chamber of Commerce Rest Rooms, Nachusa Tavern.  
Amboy—Arlington Hotel

### FARES

Dixon to Amboy	40c	Dixon to LaSalle	\$1.45
Dixon to Sublette	60c	Amboy to Sublette	20c
Dixon to Henkel	75c	Sublette to Henkel	15c
Dixon to Mendota	90c	Henkel to Mendota	15c
Dixon to Peru	\$1.35	Mendota to Peru	45c
Peru to LaSalle	10c		

## CLOSING OUT SALE

The undersigned will hold a closing out sale on the C. W. Lahman farm, 1 1/2 miles north of Franklin Grove, on

## Thursday, Jan. 27

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### 6—HORSES—6

Gray gelding 7 years old, weight 1800; gray mare 6 years old, weight 1600; black mare 8 years old, weight 1450; black mare 10 years old, weight 1200; black mare 11 years old, weight 1400; sorrel gelding 1 year old.

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GIOVANNI MARTINELLI, tenor, and Lucrezia Bori, soprano, both of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Pablo Casals, cellist, who are the artists for the Victor Talking Machine Company's third broadcast in the 1927 series. They will be heard on the evening of January 28th, through WJZ and affiliated stations.

New York, Jan. 24.—Sixteen numbers, practically every one of which is among the favorite selections of the artists who are to present them, will constitute the program of the third radio concert of the 1927 series of the Victor Talking Machine Company, next Friday evening. The artists to be heard are Giovanni Martinelli, tenor, and Miss Lucrezia Bori, soprano, both of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Pablo Casals, cellist, with the Victor Salon Orchestra under the direction of Nathaniel Shilkret. The program, which will be one hour in length, will begin at 9 p. m., Eastern Standard Time. It will be heard through stations of the "blue" network of the National Broadcasting Company, consisting of WJZ, New York; WBZ, Springfield and Boston; KDKA, Pittsburgh and KYW, Chicago.

An interesting feature of the program will be two duet numbers by Mr. Martinelli and Miss Bori.

The following program is announced by the Victor Company:

Moonlight and Roses (Black Forest)

Two Guitars (Russian Gypsy Song)

Victor Salon Orchestra under direction of Nathaniel Shilkret.  
Rachel's song duet, from "La Juive" (Halévy)

Nine (de Leva-Tanara)  
Giovanni Martinelli  
Nocturne in E Flat (Chopin-Popper)

Moment Musical (Schubert)  
Pablo Casals  
Vol che sapete, from "The Marriage of Figaro" (Mozart)

Il Maclo (Arduini)  
Miss Lucrezia Bori  
A Little Love, a Little Kiss (Ross-Siles)

Victor Salon Orchestra  
Air de la fleur, from "Carmen" (Bizet)

Giovanni Martinelli  
Parle-moi de ma mere, from "Carmen"

Duet, Miss Bori and Mr. Martinelli  
Le Cygne (The Swan) (Saint-Saens)

Traumerel (Robt. Schumann)  
Pablo Casals

Nina Pancha (Romea-Valverde)  
Simonetta (White-Rumbold)

Miss Lucrezia Bori  
Elle ouvre sa fenetre, from "Faust"

(Gounod)  
Duet, Miss Bori and Mr. Martinelli

### RADIO RIALTO

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6:00 p. m.—WTAM (289.4), Cleveland, theater musical program.

7:00 p. m.—WLW (422.3), Cincinnati, Ford and Glenn; WMAK (259), Buffalo, Johns Mansville Military band.

7:30 p. m.—WEAF (491.5), New York, Hires Harvesters, also by KSD and chain.

8:00 p. m.—WEAF (491.5), New York, A. & P. rhapsies, also WTAM and chain; WOI (270.1), Ames, Iowa State College symphony orchestra and Girls Glee Club.

8:15 p. m.—WMCA (340.7), New

York, Culver Academy banquet; WHAD (275), Milwaukee, symphony concert.

8:30 p. m.—WJZ (454.2), New York, Rudd light opera hour.

9 p. m.—KTHS (374.8), Hot Springs, Spanish serenade; WEAF (491.5), New York, opera "Der Freischutz", also by WWJ and chain.

9:30 p. m.—WCCO (116.4), Minneapolis-St. Paul, Odin male chorus; WRAP (475.9), Fort Worth, old time fiddlers; 10 p. m.—WCAE (461), Pittsburgh, three orchestras.

### TUESDAY'S PROGRAM

5:00 P. M.

WBAL Baltimore—Sandman Circle; orchestra.

WGHP Detroit—Concert.

WHK Cleveland—Orchestra.

WLS Chicago—Stocks, sports, concert.

WWJ Detroit—Concert.

WGJ Schenectady, N. Y.—Stocks; concert.

WTAM Cleveland—Musical.

WCAE Pittsburgh—Concert.

WHIC Hartford, Conn.—Musical.

WEAF New York—Concert.

WIP Philadelphia—Orchestra.

WCX Detroit—Concert.

6:00 P. M.

WBAL Baltimore—Orchestra.

WHGB Clearwater, Fla.—Orchestra.

WGN Chicago—Variety.